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## Some New Flowers

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Delphinium or  
Larkspur

Hardy Astilbe  
or Spirea

See page 3 for both



Tuberous Rooted Begonias  
*Read about these beauties on page 3*



# The Front Cover—Description of Varieties

## Antirrhinum Maximum

A new race of Giant Snapdragons. This new type is a great advance over the old "Snaps." They are magnificent in size and coloring. You can easily grow giant spikes from this seed. Detailed instructions on each packet.

No. 545 **PRESIDENT COOLIDGE**. Rich Crimson with White tube or throat. Your bouquets of this variety will please you immensely. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

No. 546 **THE ROSE**. The florists find this rose pink one of the most popular shades. Don't you think so also? Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

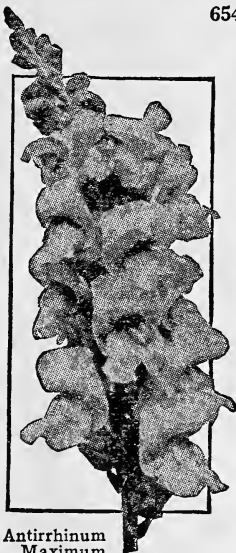
No. 547 **One Pkt. each 545 and 546, 25c.**  
\*For complete list of named varieties and Mixed Antirrhinum see Novelty Flower page.

## Giant Dahlia Zinnias

This new race of Zinnias puts that good old fashioned flower on an entirely new plane. Many new colors have been obtained and the size and form of the flowers wonderfully improved. Even under ordinary conditions you will have flowers 3½ to 5 inches across—almost as big as Dahlias.

No. 871 **ORIOLE**. One of the most striking shades of Dahlia Zinnias, its golden yellow showing a trace of scarlet. Pkt. 25c, 3 for 60c, ¼ oz. \$1.00.

\*For complete list of named varieties and mixed Dahlia Zinnias see Novelty Flower page.



Antirrhinum  
Maximum

## 654 Helichrysum Strawflowers

The most popular Everlastings.

The best known and most desirable of all the everlasting flowers, and becoming much more popular because of the great improvement in recent years. The Monstrosum, or large double, is the best type. The plants grow 2 to 3 feet high, and are literally covered with these large, double, brilliant flowers, in white, pink, yellow and scarlet. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 30c.

## 542 Ageratum, Swanley Blue

A very valuable addition to the "Blue" garden. Plants dwarf, compact and thickly studded with downy, bright blue flowers. Swanley Blue is an extra select English strain much larger flowered than the ordinary Ageratum. Excellent for bordering, also for porch or window boxes. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 25c.

## Celosia, Ostrich Plume

The plants are of pyramidal form, bearing many graceful feather like plumes of brilliant reds and yellows. They are easy to grow in any fair garden soil. We offer the following:

No. 620 **MANDARIN**. Rich Yellow and Gold. Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.

No. 619 **INDIAN CHIEF**. Scarlet and Crimson. Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.

No. 621 **One pkt. each 619 and 620 for 15c.**

No. 615 **MIXED**. Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.

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# The Inside Front Cover Varieties

## Hardy Delphinium

The hardy Delphinium or Larkspur are worthy a place in every garden. The deeper and richer the soil, the larger and finer the flowers will be. See also Hardy Root Page.

1221 **Belladonna** Large spikes of clear sky-blue flowers, that always attract attention. Strong roots 20c, doz. \$2.00.

1222 **Bellamosa** Rich blue with white eye. Strong roots 20c, doz. \$2.00.

1223 **Gold Medal Hybrids** Assorted colors ranging from light blue to purple. Strong roots 20c, doz. \$2.00.

1224 **Set of 3 above Varieties for 50c.**

## Astilbe (Herbaceous Spirea)

These beautiful new hardy plants will we believe soon become very popular. They are perfectly hardy everywhere, easily grown and produce their graceful feathery spikes of flowers in June and July. They succeed best in a rich deep, moist rather heavy loam, increasing in size and abundance of flowers from year to year. We have selected two of the most popular new varieties, strong, blooming size roots.

1241 **Peach Blossom** Delicate pink. 40c, 3 for \$1.10.

1242 **Gladstone** Pure white. 40c, 3 for \$1.10.

1243 **Set of 2 above Varieties for 75c.**

## Tuberous Rooted Begonia Bulbs

Unquestionably the most beautiful and satisfactory of all summer-flowering bulbous plants. Too much cannot be said in praise of their many desirable qualities. Ease of culture, size and abundance of flowers and wonderful range of exquisite colors, blooming continually from June to October.

**For Window Boxes** Have you a porch or window box with Northern exposure where few plants will succeed? Plant Tuberous Begonias and your problem is solved. They delight in partial shade where they receive a little sunshine mornings or evenings.

**Outdoor Planting** Tuberous Begonias will not succeed if exposed to full sunshine and wind. Mr. Templin grows them very successfully in front of a north porch where they receive no sunshine between 9 A. M. and 5 P. M. They are the attraction of the neighborhood. Very many people stop and ask, "What are these beautiful flowers?"

**The Bulbs Keep for Years** The bulbs increase in size each year and will keep over winter in the cellar as easily as potatoes. Mrs. O. E. Chamberlain of Lakewood, Ohio, still has bulbs purchased from us 9 years ago.

**HOW TO GROW THEM.** With each order will be sent printed instructions for growing and taking care of the tubers. We offer first size bulbs 1 to 1½ inches in diameter in both single and double varieties. They are in separate colors but we do not guarantee the definite shades.

## Single Varieties

1701 Pure White. 1704 Orange and Salmon.  
1702 Rose or Pink. 1705 Red and Scarlet.  
1703 Shades of Yellow. 1706 Dark Crimson.

Each 25c, doz. \$2.50.

1707 Set of 6 colors not separately labeled, \$1.25. 1708 Single Superfine Mixture, doz. \$1.90.

## Double Varieties

1712 Pure White. 1715 Orange and Salmon.  
1713 Pink or Rose. 1716 Red and Scarlet.  
1714 Shades of Yellow. 1717 Dark Crimson.

Each 30c, doz. \$3.00

1718 Set of 6 colors, not separately labeled, \$1.50. 1719 Double Superfine Mixture, doz. \$2.25.

**Tuberous Begonias growing at nearly every door step.** Mr. Bradley on his return from Europe mentioned the fact that in Northern Europe so many people took advantage of the beauty of Tuberous Begonias to have them near at hand. He believes they may become just as popular in this country, and we know of no flower that better deserves almost universal planting. They do well in shady places.

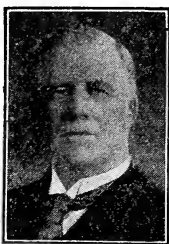
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R. L. Templin, President

## Mr. Templin's Fiftieth Business Birthday

Down in Mahoning County, Ohio, more than a mile from the little branch line of the Erie Railroad, in 1876, R. L. Templin, a young man of 22, issued his first printed list of seeds and nursery stock. In that early day it seemed like a big undertaking, but Mr. Templin had been raised on his father's nursery, so he felt sure of himself in this initial business venture.

Those first lists were distributed among his farmer neighbors and for the first few years he knew practically every one of his customers by their first names. Mr. Templin always heard first about the results his customers obtained and it got so that the fruit, flower and vegetable exhibits at the Mahoning County Fair each fall, overflowed with things grown from Templin's seeds or nursery stock.

This close personal contact with so large a percentage of his customers had a great deal to do with the formation of Mr. Templin's policies in the matter of quality of stock, how to offer it and the kind of service customers require. And I believe it is partly responsible today for the fact that even though we are now separated from many of our customers by thousands of miles, (for we have thousands of customers in every state in the Union), we hear frequently of our seeds producing prize winners at all sorts of fairs and exhibitions.

## He Has Always Sold by Mail

Believing his experience would be at the disposal of a vastly greater number of people, if his transactions are made through a catalog than by personal selling, he has offered his services and goods by mail all these years.

## Still at It Every Day

Today, Mr. Templin is still the driving head of this great business that he started fifty years ago in such a small way and under such trying circumstances. It is not easy to get Mr. Templin to talk about the past, perhaps because his thoughts are largely of today and to-morrow. But in the thirteen years that I have been in daily association with him, I have heard him tell from time to time, little bits of his experiences which would grip you if you could get it direct from him. How he used to work hard in the field all day and then in the evenings with his young wife helping, would cut seed packets out of paper, fold them, write the variety names on the fronts, according to the orders that had come in during the day, fill them with seeds and then, with the help of a hot flatiron, seal them up. After this was all done, the orders were filed and sent to the nearest post office, more than three miles away, or called for by the customers the next day.

## Conditions Change

Conditions are changing and we can no longer wait until the orders arrive before packeting the seeds. Now we print the packets in great sheets, as large as a big bedspread. Then they are formed, folded and pasted by automatic machines at the rate of many thousands per hour. Names and cultural instructions are printed instead of being written by hand. But more marvelous still are the eight big automatic seed packeting machines which open, fill, seal and count the more than fifteen million packets we use each spring. Mr. Templin has often remarked that if it were not for these mechanical helpers, seeds would probably cost a quarter per packet now instead of the five and ten cents he has charged all these years since 1876.

## The Result of Long Study

He has given a lot of thought each year to making it easy for you to order from us. The order blank in the back of the catalog can be taken out without spoiling the book. There is plenty of room for your name and full address and then too he has given each variety in the catalog a number, so if you don't care to write out some of the long names, you need only give us the variety number and we will know what you wish. We have been using this for a long time and people like it. This all looks quite simple, now that it is worked out, but he spent a lot of time on it, and in your interest.

## Prices Include Delivery

Mr. Templin believes that people like to know exactly, without figuring extras such as postage, express or packing charges, how much things are going to cost them before they buy, so all of the prices in this catalog include delivery to your nearest post or express office.

## When to Order

Mr. Templin always likes the early orders of customers because they help us to get ready for the big rush when it comes. He often says that these early orders put us on our mettle and helps us get our "order filling stride." But whether early or late, send us your order and we will take fine care of you.

## No Middleman's Profit

One thing Mr. Templin has always stood out for was to make our prices within the reach of everyone and although we have thousands of requests from people who wish to act as our agents, we never allow one cent of commission, or premium on your orders.

## When Do We Deliver?

Shipping seeds as soon as the order arrives has always been one of Mr. Templin's strong points of service. And he has worked out, with the help of the U. S. Weather Bureau, a plan which enables us to ship your bulbs, shrubs, roses, roots and vines at planting time as indicated by the daily temperature charts they supply us covering every section of the United States. You can read more about this on the page preceding the nursery section of this catalog.

## The Golden Year

A golden, or fiftieth anniversary does not come to many men as this one has come to Mr. Templin. Every order that comes to us will be a silent tribute to the fifty years of conscientious effort Mr. Templin has put into every task that has confronted him. I know that he will appreciate every one of them and that we will give you the service and the quality of merchandise to which you are entitled.

Yours for better gardens,

*G. F. Bradley*

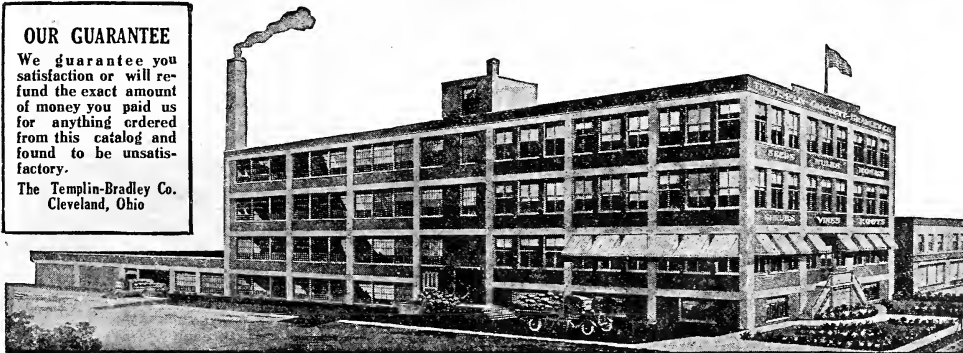


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We guarantee you satisfaction or will refund the exact amount of money you paid us for anything ordered from this catalog and found to be unsatisfactory.

The Templin-Bradley Co.  
Cleveland, Ohio



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A Partial View of Our Trial Grounds

## Proof of Quality

The outward appearance of seed is seldom an indication of quality. You as buyer must place confidence in us as seedsmen. To merit this, we are very careful that our seeds are of the highest possible quality.

We know which growers produce the best seeds of the various kinds. Our contracts with these producers are made one and two years in advance so that we may be more certain of our supply.

To be sure of germination, we test each lot of seeds in our laboratory, immediately rejecting any seeds which do not come up to the standard we set. At our trial grounds, shown above, we made more than one thousand type tests in 1925.

In addition to proving that our seeds come up to catalog descriptions, we also try out new varieties, **before** we ask you to buy them. Many of our growers conduct even more extensive trial grounds which we visit for the purpose of study.

So you see, we strive continually to earn for our seeds the name we have given them, "Quality Seeds."

**Will you test their quality this year?**

## Proof of Service

When you realize that we receive an average of 7,000 individual orders per day in the rush season, you can see why we must be prepared to give unusual service, lest we become swamped with the steady stream of orders.

First, and most important, we have an organization of carefully trained men and women. Second, farms, buildings, equipment and shipping facilities for producing and handling the goods we offer to you for your garden.

In our packeting department we use eight automatic machines, each of which fills, seals and counts 30,000 packets per day. This equipment makes possible, sales of nearly 15,000,000 packets of seed annually.

The Post Office Department keeps clerks in our mailing department to cancel stamps and route packages direct to mail trains, so that the four to five tons of parcel post packages which leave our building daily will not be delayed. This is service.

An hour in our busy plant would show you how we are trying to give intelligent service to our customers.

**Will you try us for service this year?**



U.S. Postal clerks, right in our own building, cancel stamps and route packages direct to trains.



Section of order filling department. Daily capacity more than 300,000 packets.



Four to five tons of parcel post packages are started on their journey each day.

# TEMLEY'S Watch-em-Grow PLANT FOOD

## Makes Sick Plants Well and Well Plants Better

Are your house plants as nice as you would like them to be, with the flowers as bright and the foliage as rich? Have you ever wondered why some people have more beautiful plants than others and why some folks seem able to make any kind of a plant do well?

Do you know that even a small trial package of Watch-em-Grow Plant Food will work wonders with a sickly plant? Try it and you will be amazed at the results you will see in a very short time.

**You Can Do It Too** A florist simply must make a plant look nice or else he cannot sell it. So in his greenhouse, he experiments with plant foods until he finds just the right combination to make plants thrive. Mr. Templin spent nearly fifty years in his own greenhouses and made a careful study of plant foods. About three years ago he began to work with probably the most noted chemist in America, to combine these elements into a well balanced plant food which we could supply to our regular customers. Watch-em-Grow plant food will help you to do well with plants.

**A Little Goes a Long Way** All Commercial Fertilizers must contain among other things, these three basic chemicals in some form or another, Ammonia, Phosphoric Acid and Potash. But the secret of good fertilizer is the proportion of each. In the form it is offered to you in Watch-em-Grow, this plant food not only has just the right proportions but it is highly concentrated, so that a little goes a long way.

### Guaranteed Analysis

Ammonia, soluble in water	19%
Available Phosphoric Acid	10%
Potash, soluble in water	14%
Total, in perfect balance	43%

**Where Shall I Use It?** All plants, from a tiny blade of grass to a large tree will be benefited by drinking of this food.



"Before and After"

But indoor plants always have a greater struggle to succeed than do outdoor plants and as we have nothing but indoor plants for several months each year, perhaps the greatest use you will find for Watch-em-Grow Plant Food is on the house plants and cut flowers indoors. But don't overlook the use of it on your roses, bulbs and shrubs.

**How Do I Use It?** Being a clean, odorless powder which will dissolve quickly in water, it can be easily applied to plants just as you ordinarily water plants. You will find complete instructions on each package, but the following suggestions will show its value.

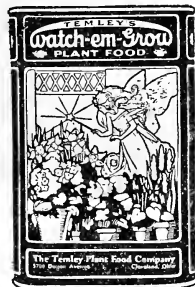
**For Potted House Plants** Dissolve teaspoonful in a cup of hot water, pour this into a gallon of cool water and you are ready to feed your plants. For a plant in a six inch pot, a pint every few days until you see a decided improvement, then use every month or so.

**Cut Flowers** Drop a pinch of Watch-em-Grow powder in the water. It will make the bouquet last longer and will be worth the price of the food.

**In Potting** When you change the soil of pot plants, mix a teaspoonful of Watch-em-Grow with a gallon of soil before you set the plants.

**For Your Lawn** Watch-em-Grow is too expensive to use as a general lawn fertilizer but if you have spots in your lawn where it is hard to keep the grass green, sprinkle with the solution and you will be surprised at the results you will soon see.

**For Your Garden** Both flowers and vegetables will be greatly benefited if Watch-em-Grow in the same solution as recommended for house plants is sprinkled over the seeds before they are covered. Then, during the growing season, if you have any backward plants, treat them just like we suggested for house plants. You will notice the difference in a few days.



The 50-cent Can

## A Large Trial Package for Only 10 Cents

Send us 10 cents for a large trial package of Watch-em-Grow Plant Food, with directions for using. After using the contents, you can send us the empty package and only forty cents and receive one regular fifty-cent can of Watch-em-Grow Plant Food. This makes the trial package cost you nothing in the end.

1000 Large Trial Package only 10 cents

1001 Big Eight-Ounce Can 50 cents



No. 999 Nitragin, garden size packages, each 25c, 3 for 65c, postage paid.

## Will Increase Your Crops

of Sweet Peas, Garden Peas and Beans.

Nitragin is a bacterial fertilizer that when applied to seed before planting promotes stronger, healthier growth, hastens maturity, increases the crop, improves its quality and enriches the soil. It is equally beneficial to Sweet Peas, Garden Peas and Garden Beans. In the case of Sweet Peas more and finer flowers are your reward, and in Garden Peas and Beans you can pick more pods per plant. Nitragin is easy to apply, full directions being given on each package.

OVER 100,000 CUSTOMERS HAVE USED "WATCH-EM-GROW" IN THE PAST YEAR



# VEGETABLE NOVELTIES

We Especially Recommend

**17 Sure Crop, the Best Wax Bean** It seems as if Sure Crop was just made for the gardener in every way, in earliness, yield, appearance and quality. The big pods fill up a basket in no time and they are handsome enough to attract anybody's attention. When served on the table you will find them delicious and tender. In detail, the pods are  $5\frac{1}{2}$  to  $6\frac{1}{2}$  inches long—nearly straight, some being slightly curved—oval in cross section, and a beautiful clear yellow. You can begin picking in 60 days after seed is planted. Black seeded varieties are favorites with many gardeners, and Sure Crop is easily the best of that class.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 18c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.10, including postage.

**9 New Bean, Masterpiece** Dwarf Green Pod. Certainly the handsomest green pod bean in cultivation. The pods are extremely long, often 7 to 8 inches and straight as an arrow, oval, flat and slender. The pods are ready very early and should be pulled before overgrown. They become stringy if left too long on the plant. The best bean for a quick crop of tender pods. Price,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 18c, lb. 50c, 3 lbs. \$1.25.

## 46 Bean, Succotash Pole

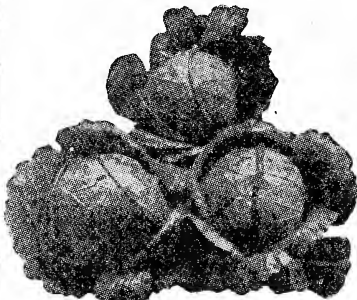
Did you ever hear of a bean having the flavor of Sweet Corn? Succotash combines the flavor of these two vegetables—hence the name, and we assure you it is well worth your trying. The seed is dark colored and is a true bean, yet bears some resemblance to a kernel of corn. Grow this variety as you would other pole beans and use as snap pods or as a green shell bean. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 60c.



Early Wonder Beet Is Best for Home or Market Garden

## 77 Cabbage, Golden Acre

A new extra early round head. When we first tried this cabbage at our testing grounds we were immediately struck with its earliness, a good hard solid head a week earlier than Copenhagen Market; and uniformity, each cabbage in the whole row being almost a perfect specimen; and absence of large outer leaves permit close planting. Golden Acre is certainly the finest round early cabbage ever introduced and yet it will stand sometime without bursting and is so solid and hard that it can be shipped or stored better than other early varieties. We recommend our strain without qualification. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 35c, 1 oz. \$1.00,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.50.



Cabbage, Golden Acre

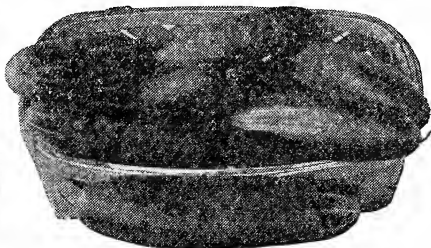
## 99 Cauliflower, Dry Weather or Danish Giant

This is a valuable strain that possesses the quality of forming good heads on dry soil and during stretches of dry weather, when other varieties fail. The head is beautiful, large, snow white and is protected by large leaves making it easier to "whiten" than Snowball. Only a trifle later than Snowball, perhaps not quite as good for greenhouse growing, but a wonder for the open ground. A sure header. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c, oz. \$2.50.

## 122 Early Mayflower, the Earliest Real Sweet Corn

We have an extra fine strain of this variety. You will like it

How would you like to be the first one to have sweet corn on the table before anyone else in your neighborhood? You can if you plant Early Mayflower—the earliest of all white true sweet corns, excepting none. The ears are surprisingly large for an early variety, averaging ten rows of the tender deliciously sweet kernels—a nice table size. The ears are about 7 inches long. A money maker for the gardener who wants to get the early high prices. Make several plantings of sweet corn to always have tender ears. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 18c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.10, postpaid.



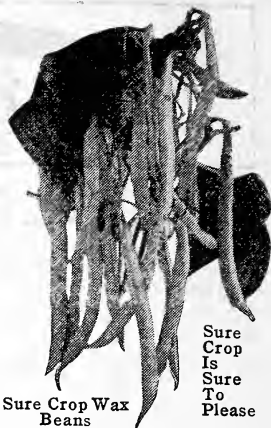
Cucumber, Temley Hybrid

## 155 Cucumber, Temley Hybrid

A remarkable example of what skillful hybridizing can accomplish, a cross between the long smooth English Cucumber and the White Spine. The result is a fruit longer than Long Green, slender, very dark green, quite smooth with deliciously crisp, sparkling, white flesh. A money maker for market and an extremely good cucumber for the home garden. Pkt. 15c, oz. 40c.

### WHAT WE MEAN BY QUALITY

On the preceding pages 6 and 7 we have set forth some of our ideals, and some reasons why our seeds carry the dependability so necessary to you if you would have a fine garden. Perhaps the most important point of all is our sincere desire to observe the Golden Rule.



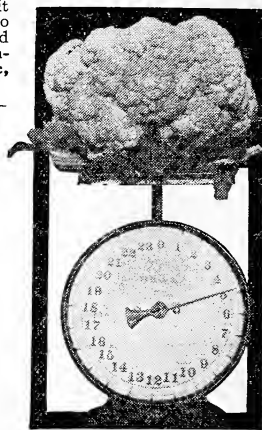
Sure Crop Wax Beans

Sure Crop Is Sure To Please

## 55 Beet, Early Wonder

The illustration shows you the nice shape these roots grow, but it cannot describe the earliness, good quality and rich color. It really is a pleasure to go into the garden and pull such nice roots. Early Wonder retains its deep color well when stored or canned, and is a mighty good beet to eat. Market Gardeners find that Early Wonder sells readily on the market and makes steady customers. Pkt. 10c, oz. 18c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, lb. \$1.25.

Go over the general list of vegetables on pages 10 to 21 selecting your favorites. But reserve a share of your garden for the new varieties on this and page 10.



Cauliflower, Dry Weather

# TRY THESE KINDS

For a Profitable Garden

## 202 Watermelon, Irish Gray

On a warm summer day a big slice of Irish Gray is a treat fit for a king. The bright red flesh so deliciously sweet and tender surely does hit the spot. The melon is distinct in appearance, long as shown in the illustration, but solid gray green in color. Altogether a most profitable melon to grow because of its quality, earliness (earlier than Tom Watson), and the remarkable number of fruits each vine bears. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, lb. \$1.15.



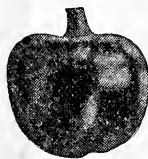
Irish Gray Watermelon

## 291 Saxa Radish

The earliest forcing variety. Ready for the table in an almost impossibly short time, sometimes in 20 days from seed. The roots are bright scarlet, round as a marble, smooth with very little tap root and a small top. Fresh, crisp and juicy. A favorite for greenhouse forcing, market garden and the first crop outdoors in the home garden. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c.

## 268 Pepper, Tomato Salad

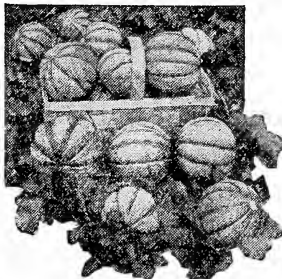
This new pepper is so mild and so thick meaty as to be almost like a tomato to eat raw or to slice for salads. And it resembles a tomato in appearance being flattened, round, smooth and bright scarlet red in color. The yield of fruits is extraordinary—much more than most peppers. You will certainly be pleased with Tomato Peppers. Pkt. 15c, 2 pkts. 25c.



Tomato Pepper

**193 Muskmelon, Lake Champlain** Without question the earliest yellow fleshed melon in the market today. Records have been made of its being ready to eat 57 days after the seed was planted. Its vigorous growth, productivity, hardiness and good quality have been proved beyond any doubt. The flesh is golden yellow, deep and so temptingly sweet. In shape nearly round—medium size and heavily netted. For the earliest melons plant Lake Champlain.

Champlain has another very valuable habit in its extremely long picking season. A very heavy crop is set, those borne close to the center ripening first, then a second crop is produced by those farther out on the vine. There is no other melon which combines the many good qualities of Champlain. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c, oz. 55c. Ask for prices on larger quantities.



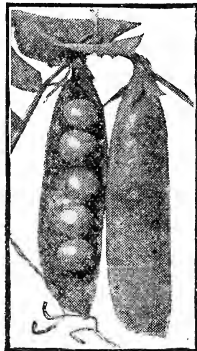
Muskmelon, Champlain  
Earliest, Best, Most Prolific

## 240 Pea, New Progress

In England where most of the world's finest peas have been introduced they consider Progress, the dwarf variety, par excellence. The 18 inch vines are loaded with very large dark green pods, bursting with great luscious peas. Try at least one row. The seed is as yet very scarce. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 75c.

## 269 New Ornamental Peppers

These novel little peppers grow on compact bushes about 18 inches high. The fruit is brightly colored shining golden yellow and scarlet. They are in a variety of shapes also—some round like cherries, some like square little lanterns, others longer and tapering. The plants are very ornamental in the garden or potted as a house plant. Furthermore the peppers are of excellent food value making very tasty mixed pickles. In packets only 15c each.



Peas, Peter Pan

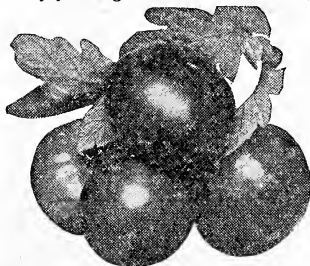
## 238 Pea, Peter Pan, Largest Podded Dwarf

Peter Pan leads all the dwarf peas in total yield—size of pod and quality. Compared with a good strain of Notts Excelsior, Peter Pan gave fifty-five per cent more and larger pods. Under ordinary conditions, in seven weeks after the seed is planted in your garden you can begin picking the pods, and you will vote them the sweetest peas you ever put in your mouth. The vines are sturdy and healthy, 15 to 18 inches tall. Each pod contains 6 to 8 of the large delicious peas.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 18c, 1 lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.20, postpaid.

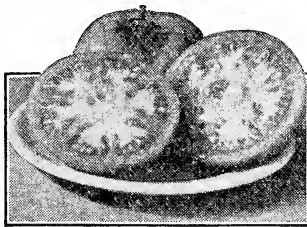
## 339 Tomato, Temley Everbearer

The best early, long season, home garden tomato. How would you like to have a tomato that you can pick as early as Earliana, and yet keep on picking for a long season after and get nice smooth, good sized, scarlet fruits. That is just how Everbearer behaves. For an early variety the fruits are surprisingly large, smooth and free from blemish.

The name Everbearer was suggested by Mrs. Emma Schwartz of Arkansas, and the name well fits the variety. You will surely enjoy the quality of the fruit and the heavy yielding Everbearer. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c.



Tomato, Burbank



Golden Colossal

## 330 New Burbank

The earliest tomato grown. To beat your neighbors with ripe tomatoes plant some Burbanks this year, in our experience the Earliest Tomato in existence. Burbank is everything that can be desired in a home garden tomato, attractive bright fruits, medium size, smooth, well formed and ripens evenly all over. It is a good cropper also. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 18c, oz. 50c.

## 331 Golden Colossal

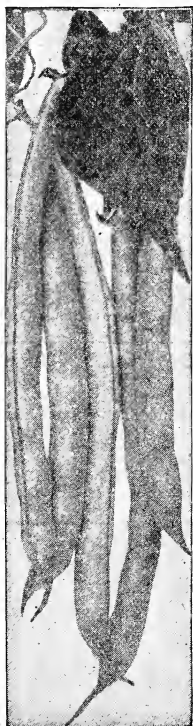
The best yellow tomato. You should see the great big delicious fruits of this variety. As large as Ponderosa and quite like it in every way except color which is golden yellow. Very heavy, flesh solid like the "Beef-steak" with very few seeds. The flavor is different from the red variety, very sweet. Slices of this handsome yellow are attractive with slices of a red in salads. Pkt. 15c, 2 pkts. 25c.

## 333 Tomato Collection

One packet each of the above three Tomatoes Nos. 330, 331 and 339 for 30c.

# VEGETABLE SEEDS

We have always made it a matter of house policy to list only a few of the most worthy varieties which are in the greatest general demand. These are all certain to give uniform satisfaction. The wisdom of this action has been proven beyond a doubt as we are able not only to greatly reduce the cost of catalogs but also to sell larger quantities of each variety listed, at less expense. This saving is passed on to you in greater values for your money.



Burpee's Stringless

- 1 Asparagus** *Mary Washington.* Best of the new rust proof varieties. Full description see No. 1595 on page 50. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c.**

## Grow Plenty of Beans

They are easy to grow—not bothered by insects. By growing your own, you can have them always tender without bothersome strings. You always get so much back for your efforts. They give a large yield from a small space—even a 10 foot row giving several nice pickings. Beans provide many delicious and wholesome dishes. A  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. package will plant a row 40 to 50 feet long.

**To Have Beans at Their Best**—Make several successive plantings. As most varieties are ready to pick in 45 to 50 days you can keep planting just as long as there is that much time left before frost. Another good idea is to plant an early and late variety at the same time, for instance, **Burpee's Stringless** and **1000 to 1 Green Pods** and **Webber** and **Refugee Wax Pods**. Pick beans while the pods are young and tender. Steady picking induces greater production. Do not jerk the pods off but snip them off with scissors, knife or finger nail.

**CULTURE**—Detailed directions on each package and in booklet "Better Gardens."

## Dwarf Green Pods

**\*Masterpiece.** See No. 9 on page 8.

- 4 Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod** (Round Pod).

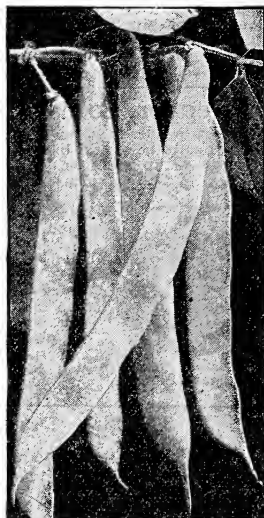
The most popular of the round podded varieties. Early, very productive—pods tender, fleshy and free from strings. Whether for home or market, we know of no variety of more good qualities. Ready in 50 days.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

- 5 Early Bountiful** (Flat Podded). Will yield more than any other green pod bean in our list. Best of the flat podded stringless varieties, pods  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to 7 inches long, stout, flat and nearly straight, stringless, and of fine quality; color light green. Very early, vigorous, hardy and productive.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

- 6 Giant Stringless Green-Pod** (Round Pod). An exceedingly productive and very handsome stringless variety. Similar to Burpee's Stringless, but pods a trifle longer, straighter, and a shade lighter green.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

- 7 Refugee 1000 to 1** (Round Pod). A delicious bean with very tender, fine-grained, juicy, round pods. Planted with the early varieties, will bear a week later.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 16c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.10.

- 8 Bean, Full Measure** (Round Pod). Yields a large quantity of fine, large, dark green pods. What is more they are fine-grained, tender, and of very good table quality. Full Measure is a great favorite in some localities both for home and market garden, and hundreds of growers recommend it. **Price,**  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 16c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.10



New Webber Wax Beans

## Dwarf Wax or Butter Beans

- \*Sure Crop Wax** (Oval Round Pod). The best of the black seeded varieties. For full description see No. 17 on page 8.

- 18 New Webber Wax** (Flat Pod).

It is very vigorous, healthy, and wonderfully productive. In our experience, Webber is invariably ready to pick before any other wax bean and will yield more than any with the single exception of Sure Crop Wax. Broad, flat, golden yellow, gracefully curved, pods are absolutely free from strings.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

- 19 Improved Golden Wax** (Flat Pod).

Greatly improved over the old style Golden Wax, and it will pay you to plant our strain of this splendid variety. Pods perfectly straight, very broad, flat, but thick through, fleshy and stringless. An early abundant cropper.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

- 20 Stringless Refugee Wax** (Round Pod).

Tender enough to melt in your mouth and absolutely stringless. Better in all ways than the old Refugee Wax. Productive and early. Round pods 5 inches long, very fleshy and curved.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 16c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.10.



New Wonder Bush Lima Beans

## White Baking Bean

- 29 New Robust** The best white bean for baking. Also called "1000 to 1" Field Bean. The dry beans are the same shape and color as the popular Boston Pea Bean, but it has been proved by experiment stations that New Robust outyields all other white beans.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 10c, lb. 30c, 3 lbs. for 80c.

## Bush Lima Beans

- 32 New Wonder** The recognized standard of bush Lima Bean quality. Large, robust, compact, plants; productive. Pods uniformly large, produced in clusters and maturing in midseason. Large flat beans of superior quality. **Pkt. 10c.,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 55c, 3 lbs. \$1.50.**

- 33 Henderson's Early** The earliest of all Lima Beans—by planting it gardeners in even the northernmost States can enjoy Limas from their own gardens. Pods are small but borne so plentifully that the yield is large. Beans of excellent flavor. **Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 18c, lb. 50c, 3 lbs. \$1.30.**



## Pole or Cornhill Beans

\*Succotash Pole Bean. See No. 46 on page 8.

**39 Kentucky Wonder** or **Old Homestead.** The most useful and satisfactory of all the green podded Pole Beans. Early, wonderfully prolific, bearing continually until frosts; pods very long, in clusters. May be planted with corn.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 16c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.10.

**40 Golden Cluster Wax** The best of all the Wax Pod Pole Beans. Pods 6 to 8 inches long, in clusters, golden yellow, thick, fleshy and stringless. Shelled beans pure white.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 16c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.20.

**41 Lazy Wife** One of the most popular either for snaps, shell beans (white seed), or dry beans for winter use. The pods are borne in large clusters. Long, broad, thick and fleshy, green pod.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 16c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.20.

**42 Cut Short or Cornhill** Fine for planting in corn. Pods fleshy and of good quality. A good yielder and well liked wherever grown. Green pod.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 16c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.25.

**43 Horticultural or Cranberry (Wren's Egg)** Popular as a shelled bean, either green or dry. Dry seed speckled.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 16c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.25.

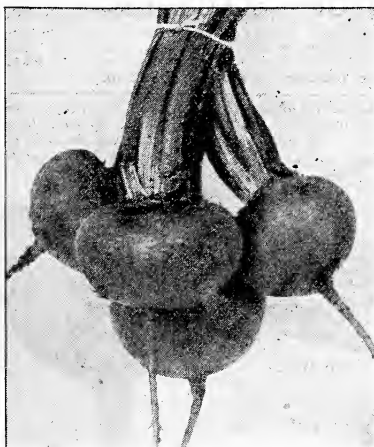
**44 Pole Lima King of the Garden** Extensive trials show this to be the best of all pole lima beans, unsurpassed in yield or quality. The vines produce continually until killed by frost. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 50c, 3 lbs. \$1.35.

**45 Yard Long Pole Beans** An interesting novelty from the old country. Long, slim, round, pods often 2 to 3 feet long. A great curiosity that always attracts attention. Pkt. 10c, 2 pkts. 15c.



Golden Cluster Wax Bean

## Tender Table Beets



Crosby's Egyptian Beets

**WHY GROW BEETS**—Root crops give more food value for the space occupied than any other vegetable. Beets are the most popular of all root crops. Beets may be stored for winter use.

Best of all, the small beets pulled and used soon after, are much sweeter and more tender than any you could buy. Try some buttered tender baby beets from your own garden this year. Make at least two plantings of beets so that you have plenty for early use and for winter storage as well. **Crosby's Egyptian** is best for early planting. **Detroit Dark Red** for canning or storing. **CULTURE**—Directions on packets and in booklet "Better Gardens."

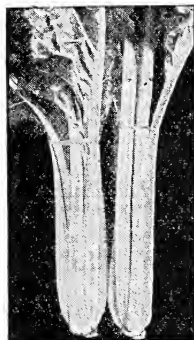
**52 Crosby's Egyptian** The first to produce edible roots. Plant for earliest crop. An improvement on Old Egyptian. Roots slightly flattened, globe shape; skin blood red, flesh slightly zoned; tops small. A universal favorite. Pkt. 5c, large oz. pkg. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

**53 Detroit Dark Red** The best for canning or main crop. Detroit makes a beautiful appearance served on the table or bunched for market, retaining its deep red color no matter how served. A big cropper with small upright tops permitting close planting. The roots are globe shaped. Skin and flesh dark blood red without the white zones. Sweet, tender and delicious. Pkt. 8c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

**54 Crimson Globe** We are offering an unusually smooth strain that shows few rootlets. Medium size; globe shape. Flesh deep purple-red; lightly zoned. Sweet, tender, never stringy when grown under fair conditions. Pkt. 8c, oz. 12c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. 90c.

**\*Early Wonder** For description see No. 55, page 8.

**56 Eclipse** Fine for the home garden because of its medium small smooth roots and very sweet tender flesh. Pkt. 5c, oz. pkg. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 80c.



Swiss Chard

## Mangel Beets

**FOR POULTRY AND STOCK**—Stock and poultry raisers have found that it pays to grow mangels for winter feed. Mangels increase the flow and better the quality of milk, help to keep cows in good healthy condition, besides saving tons of fodder.

**62 Mammoth Long Red** The heaviest yielding of all mangels—often  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet long and very heavy. Grows half out of ground—easy to harvest. Oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 60c.

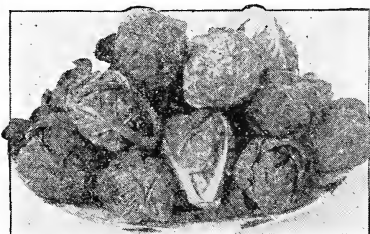
**63 Golden Giant** Best of the yellow mangels and said to contain more sugar, so richer feed than the red varieties. Oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 60c.

## Swiss Chard or Spinach Beet

**65 Lucullus** No other vegetable will produce more nutritious greens from a small space than Swiss Chard. It grows rapidly, forming broad, flat, beautiful wax-like stems which are delicious when cooked and served like spinach or asparagus. Pkt. 5c, large oz. pkg. 15c.

## Pertection Brussels Sprouts

**68** Belongs to the cabbage family. Small heads of delicious quality are abundantly produced along the stem, the plants growing about 2 feet high. Cultivate same as late cabbage. Produce its tender little heads from October to December in the North, and throughout the winter in the South. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce pkg. 20c.

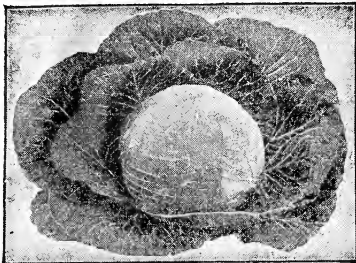


Brussels Sprouts

## Pure Strains

**Surely you want cabbage.** A nice head of cabbage doesn't require very much space in your garden, but what a lot of whole-some food it will give you. Creamed cabbage, cabbage salad, cold slaw, hot slaw, or kraut, and chances are you have some favorite methods of your own for preparing cabbage. For summer and early fall use plant early varieties like **Wakefield** or **Copenhagen Market**, cut as soon as the heads are hard; **Late Flat Dutch** and **Danish Ballhead** keep well for winter use.

**CULTURE**—Detailed directions on packets and booklet "Better Gardens."



Copenhagen Market

## 71 Cabbage, Baby Head

Every garden, no matter how small, has room for a few plants of this new cabbage. The heads are only 5 or 6 inches in diameter, but solid, heavy, round as a ball and white. Fine for summer and fall salads. **Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 25c.**

## Late Varieties

### 84 Premium Late Flat Dutch

Probably more largely grown than any other late variety, because everybody knows it is always reliable. Uniform, large, flattened heads of excellent quality and a good keeper. Largely grown to supply kraut factories. Will produce more tons per acre than any other variety. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 30c, ¼ lb. 75c, lb. \$2.00.**

**85 Danish Ballhead** The illustration from a photo taken in Denmark is a good representation of the kind of seed we offer. For quality no other winter Cabbage equals Danish Ballhead. It is a sure header, very heavy, solid and fine grained. Always brings the highest market prices. One of the best keepers, coming out of the pit in March or April fresh and solid. The heads are not as large as the American Drumhead varieties, but very much more solid. **Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 20c, oz. 35c, ¼ lb. 90c, lb. \$3.00.**



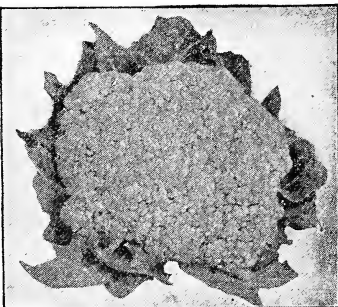
Pe-Tsai

**86 Burpee's Surehead** Uniformly large, round, flattened heads of drumhead type. A universal favorite for main crop. A good keeper and of finest quality. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 30c, ¼ lb. 75c, lb. \$2.00.**

**87 Drumhead Savoy** Many consider Savoy the finest quality of all Cabbages. The leaves are finely curled and heads solid. If you have never grown Savoy Cabbage, try it this year. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 30c, ¼ lb. \$1.00.**

**92 Red Delicious** Many people prefer red cabbages to all other because of their distinctive flavor and cooking quality. After free packets of this variety were sent out to our customers under the name of No. 37, the letters we received regarding it were unanimous in naming Red Delicious—"the best of all red cabbages." Very early to head—yet heavy and solid like the old Red Rock. For salads and slaws it is delicious. **Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 20c, oz. 35c, ¼ lb. \$1.00, lb. \$3.00.**

**94 Pe-Tsai (Chinese or Celery Cabbage).** A new vegetable from China. By tying up the large outer leaves it blanches like celery. As a salad it rivals the finest lettuce, or cooked like cabbage or spinach, it makes splendid greens. For main crop sow the seed last of August, and transplant a foot apart. For early Summer use, sow the seed in early Spring. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c.**



Snowball Cauliflower

## Cabbage

## Early and Late

## Early Summer Varieties

**\*Golden Acre** See No. 77 on page 8.

**73 Early Jersey Wakefield** The best-known and most popular early variety. Uniform, conical or pointed, solid heads. More largely grown for early market than any other variety. The variety we would advise planting for the very earliest, for home or market. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 30c, ¼ lb. 75c, lb. \$2.00.**

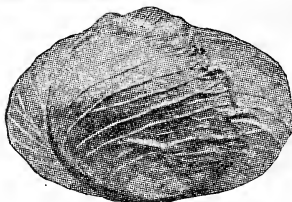


Early Jersey Wakefield

**74 Copenhagen Market** The earliest of the large, solid, round head varieties, being only a few days later than Wakefield, but much larger and heavier. Heads average 8 to 10 lbs. each. Very compact in habit, with few outer leaves, which permit closer planting. Earliness, compact growth, large heads and superior quality have made this new cabbage very profitable. **Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 20c, oz. 35c, ¼ lb. 90c, lb. \$3.00.**

**75 Glory of Enkhuizen** A splendid new medium early variety from Holland, closely resembling Copenhagen Market, and by many considered the best early round head variety. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 30c, ¼ lb. 75c, lb. \$2.00.**

**Good Cabbage Crops** depend very largely on the quality of the seed you plant. If you plant our seed, rely on it, you take one important step toward that good crop.



Premium Late Flat Dutch



Danish Ballhead

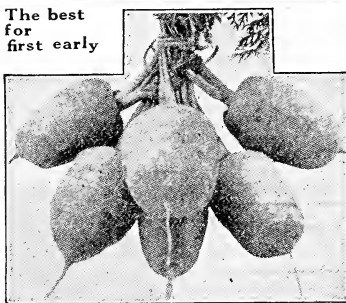
## Cauliflower

**CULTURE**—For early crop, Cauliflower should be started in boxes or hotbed and transplanted when large enough. For main crop plant and cultivate same as late cabbage. When the heads begin to form gather the outer leaves and tie together to protect from the hot sun. Cauliflower is one of the most delicious vegetables grown, and by planting our "Quality" Seed in rich, deep, moist soil, the crop is almost as sure as cabbage.

**\*Dry Weather Or Danish Giant.** The best for drier soils Full description No. 99, page 8.

**98 Early Snowball** You will welcome this strain as one on which you can depend absolutely. It is the best in existence. Snowball is the earliest and best for the home gardener who has rich, moist soil, for market and for the greenhouse grower. The plants are compact, few outer leaves, heads solid, medium large and snowy white. In selecting this certain Danish strain we made sure that it would answer the requirements of the most critical gardener. **Pkt. 15c, ½ oz. 40c, ¼ oz. \$1.25, oz. \$2.25, ¼ lb. \$6.00, lb. \$18.00.**

The best  
for  
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Earliest Scarlet Horn or French Forcing

used before fully grown while young and tender. Also called French Forcing. Pkt. 10c, ounce 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.40.

**103 Oxheart or Guerande.** Especially good for shallow or hard soils. Short, thick roots 2 to 3 inches or more in diameter. Abrupt blunt point, easily gathered. Finest quality for table use; also desirable for winter poultry food. Oxheart is often grown for stock feeding, yielding 15 to 20 tons per acre. Pkt. 5c, ounce pkg. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

**104 Danvers Half-Long** The most popular Carrot in cultivation. Originated at Danvers, Mass. The roots will average  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 inches in diameter and 5 to 6 inches long, holding their thickness well to the point. More largely grown than any other variety. A favorite with market gardeners for bunching, making a fine appearance. Size, shape, color and sweetness are ideal. A first-class carrot for all soils. Not only desirable for table use, but a heavy yielder and good keeper for feeding stock. Pkt. 8c, ounce 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.

## For Stock Feeding

**112 Mastodon Giant White.** Best and largest stock Carrot grown. Nearly half its length grows above ground, making it easy to harvest. A wonderfully heavy yielder. Unsurpassed for feeding poultry and stock. Ounce pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 30c, lb. 80c.

## Carrots

Carrots deserve a space in your garden. In fact make several plantings so that you can have some early, mid-season and late. Carrots pulled just as soon as sizeable are at their best, tender without any hard core. **Earliest Scarlet Horn** give dandy little roots in 7 to 8 weeks from planting, while **Danvers** will be ready in about 10 weeks. Doctors recommend carrots as one of the healthiest vegetables to eat and the family who eats plenty of carrots will like those from their own garden best.

**CULTURE**—Detailed directions printed on each packet.

**102 Earliest Scarlet Horn** The earliest variety in cultivation. The best for early forcing and equally desirable for early garden culture. The tops are very small. The roots are reddish orange and are nearly round when forced quickly in very rich, well prepared soil, but are somewhat longer when grown out-doors. When fully matured the roots are about two to two and one-half inches long, but they should be



New Red Giant Carrot



Danvers Carrot

"Watch-em-Grow"  
Plant Food  
See  
page 7.

## 105 New Red Giant

Those who have tried Red Giant tell of the enormous size it grows on mellow soil, often weighing 3 or 4 pounds each; also of the tender flesh which cooks up without a hard, stringy core. In a nutshell, the facts are: Red Giant is actually a giant in size—is of excellent quality to eat, and of good appearance. Red Giant will give you more edible carrots per foot or per acre occupied than any other existing variety. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.

*Mrs. H. N. Miller, of Ebenezer, N. Y., writes as follows: "I boiled some of the new Red Giant French Carrots for dinner and I must tell you they are delicious. I certainly shall recommend them to all my friends and neighbors. Five of them weigh 9 pounds. I have always found your seeds and service satisfactory."*

**"Watch-em-Grow"** Will help you to bring back your house plants this winter. See page 7.

## Celery

**CULTURE**—Sow seeds in hotbed or cold frame. As soon as the plants are about 3 inches high, transplant to a nicely prepared bed in the border, setting them 4 or 5 inches apart. When about 8 inches high, and fine, stocky plants, set them out in rows 3 ft. apart and cultivate well during summer. Earth up for blanching in autumn, but never hoe or earth up when the foliage is moist or wet. A packet will produce 300 to 400 plants; an ounce 5000 to 6000 plants.

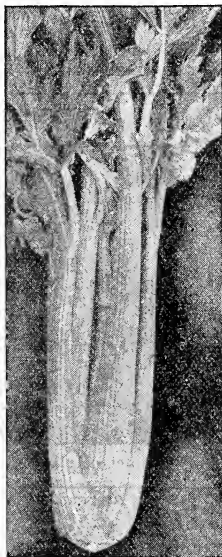
**113 New Easy Blanching** A new variety of great merit. The habit is dwarf and compact, with light-yellowish-green foliage. It is very easily blanched, and might be termed a second-early variety. Due to the solidity of the stalks it is a first-rate keeper. The flavor is first class, while the stalks are pure white, heavy and crisp. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. pkg. 15c, ounce 50c.

**114 Golden Self-Blanching** The best of all early self-blanching varieties. It is of dwarf compact growth, with thick, solid, heavily ribbed stalks, which blanch easily to a clear waxen-yellow. More extensively grown for both home and market than any other variety. Best French-grown. Original strain. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25c, oz. 75c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**115 White Plume** The earliest and most easily blanched celery in cultivation, hence its popularity. Foliage light green shading to nearly white at tips. Blanches silvery white. An excellent autumn variety. Pkt. 8c, ounce 30c.

**116 Giant Pascal** A standard fall and winter variety of vigorous, compact growth. Stalks short, thick and broad. One of the best for winter use, excellent quality for home use, but too tender to stand shipping. Golden yellow heart, and fine nutty flavor. Pkt. 8c, ounce 30c.

**120 Celeriac** Turnip-rooted Celery. The large, solid, turnip-like roots are highly esteemed for serving like parsnips or turnips or flavoring soups, etc. For winter and spring use, store same as turnips or beets. Pkt. 8c, ounce 30c.



Celery, Easy-Blanching



Celeriac



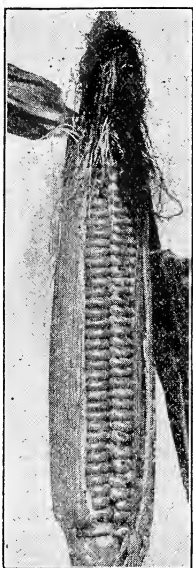
Golden Self-Blanching

## Grow Sweet Corn

**DO YOU KNOW WHY HOME GROWN SWEET CORN ALWAYS TASTES BEST?** Within a few hours after the tender ears are pulled off the stalk they begin to lose their sugar, and they deteriorate rapidly in flavor. You can seldom buy absolutely fresh green corn—so unless you have grown your own you probably do not know how deliciously sweet it can be. Make several plantings of sweet corn—starting as soon as the soil is warm and frost danger is past, then a few more hills every week or ten days. The early varieties, like Golden Bantam, are ready to eat in about 70 days from planting. It is not difficult to can what you do not immediately use on the table. See the recipes in "Better Gardens."

**CULTURE**—Instructions on each packet and in booklet, "Better Gardens."

**Remember our Sweet Corn Prices include postage.  
Write for prices on larger quantities.**



Golden Bantam

**\*Early Mayflower** Fine for home gardens. Read about this splendid variety, No. 122, page 8.

**123 Golden Giant** This valuable Golden Sweet Corn was introduced to combine size and earliness. It has attracted much attention and was in great demand last spring. It is a cross between Golden Bantam and Howling Mob, producing heavy stalks, usually carrying two large 12 to 14 rowed ears. The heaviest yielding early yellow variety.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

**124 Extra Early White Cory** The old favorite extra early Sweet Corn. Ears 10 to 12 rowed, 7 to 8 inches long, fairly sweet, tender and white. Stalks about 4 feet high, usually producing two large handsome ears on each stalk.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 12c, lb. 30c, 3 lbs. 80c.

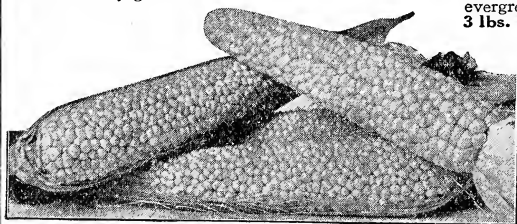
**125 Golden Bantam** A very early Sweet Corn with golden-yellow grains. Generally considered the sweetest and tenderest variety in existence. Probably more extensively grown than any other early variety. A few days later than Cory. Height 4 to 5 feet. Ears 6 inches long. Eight rows of kernels. Our stock is the best Northern Ohio grown. Sure to please.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 12c, lb. 35c, 3 lbs. 90c.

**126 Black Mexican** By many considered the tenderest and sweetest of all. Cooks pure white while young.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

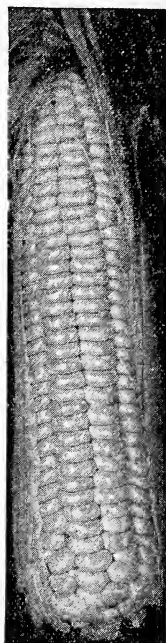
and tender, turning to bluish-black when ripe. Ripens medium early.

**127 Country Gentleman or Shoe-Peg.** A well-known variety which is par excellence where quality is desired. The kernels are so deep that there is little row left for cob. Very productive. Market gardeners who supply hotels and high-class restaurants depend on this for main crop. The ears are 6 to 7 inches long, small white cob, with narrow deep grains in irregular rows.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

**128 Stowell's Evergreen** The standard main crop variety, much used for the home garden, market and canning. It is hardy and productive, very tender and sugary, remaining a long time in condition suitable for boiling. Our stock has been carefully grown and selected to avoid the tendency to a shorter grain and deterioration in the evergreen character.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 12c, lb. 35c, 3 lbs. 90c.



Country Gentleman



Golden Giant

### "Always Tender" Sweet Corn

**Collection** These three varieties follow each other in reaching the edible stage. By planting some of each at the same time you will have sweet corn for your table, always tender and delicious.

**Golden Bantam, Golden Giant, Stowell's Evergreen**

**136**  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. each of the above three varieties for 35c.

**137** 1 lb. each of the above three varieties for \$1.00.

## Pop Corn

**138 Japanese or Australian Hullless.** A dwarf-growing corn, a heavy yielder of attractive ears, peculiar in form, being nearly as thick as long. The kernels are similar to the best strains of White Rice, only longer and slimmer and pearly white in color, but its crowning merit lies in its popping quality, fine flavor and absence of hull or shell. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. pkg. 12c, 1 lb. 30c, 3 lbs. 80c. Popping stock, 5 lbs. 75c, postpaid.

**139 Improved White Rice** For years this was considered the "only" Pop Corn, and commercially it is still sold more than all other varieties. Our strain is selected to produce more ears per stalk, and will often produce 3 to 4 fine ears.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 10c, lb. 25c, 3 lbs. 70c. Popping stock, 5 lbs. 60c, postpaid.

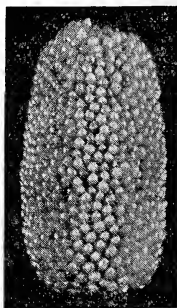
**140 Queen's Golden** Imagine great flaky kernels of Popped Corn nearly an inch across. Creamy white in color and tender enough to melt in your mouth. Queen's Golden will give you that pleasure. The ears are rich golden yellow and are the largest of all pop corns.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 12c, lb. 30c, 3 lbs. 80c. Popping stock, 5 lbs. 75c, postpaid.

### Did You Ever Realize

The value of a packet of seed? Consider the generations of skillful labor, the observation, the time and money necessary to improve the varieties, so that they will produce more in your garden. Good seeds are a good investment.

**378 Kale or Borecole.** Popular boiling-greens for fall, winter, and spring. Very popular in the South. Quite hardy and deserves more general cultivation in the North. Freezing does not injure but improves the quality. If you keep poultry be sure to grow some kale for them. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c.

**381 Mixed Herbs** Your garden is not complete without a row of the good old-fashioned herbs such as Dill, Anise, Sweet Basil, etc. In the old days herbs were indispensable and certainly they should not be forgotten now. Pkt. 10c.



Japanese Hullless



# Cucumbers

**DO YOU LIKE COOL SLICED CUCUMBERS IN HOT WEATHER?** When you can go out in your garden and pick a few nice slicers just before meal time, they taste ever so much better than those found in the market in more or less wilted condition. Plant a hill of Cucumbers wherever there is room. The more you gather the more the vines will bear. Pick your cucumbers as soon as they reach edible size.

**CULTURE**—Detailed directions on every packet and in booklet "Better Gardens."

**\*Temley Hybrid** For full description and price of this new variety, see No. 155, page 8.

**145 Early Klondyke** An extra-early strain of White Spine, remarkable for its shapely fruit and uniformly dark green skin. Popular with southern planters who grow for the early northern markets, and equally desirable for home garden. **Pkt. 8c, ounce 20c, 1/4 lb. 45c, lb. \$1.25.**

**146 Davis Perfect** Long, slim, smooth, and especially handsome for its healthy dark green color, which it retains so long that it always brings the highest price on the market. Fruit often grows 10 to 12 inches long, and the tender, sparkling, white flesh makes it most desirable for slicing on your table. **Pkt. 8c, ounce 25c, 1/4 lb. 50c, lb. \$1.40.**

**147 Improved White Spine**

The best-known and universally satisfactory variety more extensively grown than any other. No other variety excels it in productiveness, and in color, form, and quality it is all that can be desired. Normal size 6 to 7 inches long and 2 1/2 inches in diameter. **Pkt. 5c, ounce pkg. 18c, 1/4 lb. 40c, lb. \$1.10.**

**156 Early Fortune** The fruits are medium length, handsome dark green, well shaped with thick white flesh and small seed cavity. A great improvement over White Spine, retaining its dark green color so long after picking. Very productive and a very valuable shipping variety. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c, 1/4 lb. 55c, lb. \$1.50.**

**148 Jersey Pickle** Very prolific and exceedingly popular. Largely planted for pickles. The fruits are short, smooth, bright green and of excellent quality. We recommend Jersey Pickle for the home garden, as it is a good slicer as well as pickler. **Pkt. 8c, ounce 20c, 1/4 lb. 45c, lb. \$1.25.**

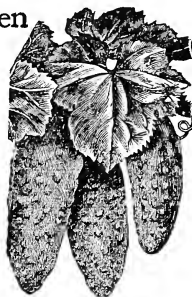
**149 Chicago Pickle**

Meets the most exacting requirements of critical pickle makers. It is the right size, shape and color, and is a heavy yielder. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 18c, 1/4 lb. 40c, lb. \$1.10.**

**150 Extra Long Green**

A model in size, form, and color. Uniformly long and smooth, deep green in color. A money maker for the market gardener and a universal favorite for home use. Fruit 12 to 15 inches long, flesh solid and crisp with few seeds. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c, 1/4 lb. 60c, lb. \$1.75.**

See Booklet "Better Gardens" for Cucumber Culture.

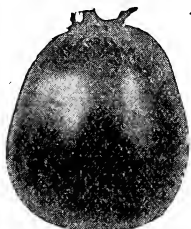


Chicago Pickle

**154 Japanese Climbing** This variety is actually a climber. It climbs quickly on fences or trellises and is entirely distinct. The quality is splendid for pickling or slicing. Long, attractive, deep green, smooth fruit, 10 to 12 inches in length. A valuable variety for small gardens. **Pkt. 10c, ounce 25c, 1/4 lb. 60c.**

**151 Lemon Cucumber** Ripens to about the size and color of a lemon. Flesh white, with a peculiar sweet flavor. Fine for pickling and preserves. **Pkt. 10c.**

**152 Irish Queen** This variety is distinct from others, in that it is almost perfectly smooth, free from ridges or spines. The color is deep glossy green, so attractive for the home garden or market. Flesh crisp, sparkling and solid, an excellent slicer. The vines produce abundantly of slicers very uniform in size and shape. Also known as New Emerald. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 70c.**



Egg Plant

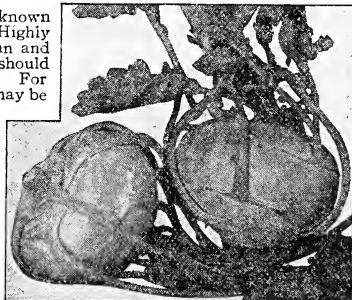
**368 Egg Plant** New York Spineless. Fruit large, smooth, glossy, rich purple, and of excellent quality. Cultural instructions on each packet. **Egg Plants like warm, rich soil. Pkt. 10c, 1/4 ounce 20c, ounce 50c.**

**372 Endive** Green Curled. This is the best known and most desirable variety. Highly prized as a salad during autumn and early winter. Also may be served like Spinach. Seeds should be sown in July and transplanted in rows last of August. For early summer use sow seed in early spring. Blanching may be done by tying up the outer leaves or by covering with straw. **Pkt. 10c, ounce pkg. 20c.**

**Okra or Gumbo**

**374 White Velvet** Largely used in the South, both as a separate dish and for soups. The tender seed pods are cooked like asparagus. Should be more largely grown in the North. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 15c, 1/4 lb. 30c.**

**375 Kohlrabi** (Early White Vienna) Also called "Turnip Rooted Cabbage." Forms large turnip-like bulbs on the stem above ground. Should be used while young and tender, when they are sweet and nutritious. Culture same as early cabbage. Very much sweeter than Turnips. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c.**



Kohlrabi



Improved White Spine The Most Popular Slicer

## Lettuce



Grand Rapids Lettuce

### Cabbage or Head Lettuce

**173 Temley Evergood** Forms a head very quickly and has crisp, tender, golden yellow inner leaves and heart. So it's certainly delicious to eat. Almost a sure header and does not go up to seed as quickly as other early varieties. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c.

**167 Big Boston** A fine big, crisp tender, cabbage-heading Lettuce. Sure to please the most critical grower. Largely grown in the South to supply the Northern winter and early spring market, and equally good for growing in the home garden. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c.

**168 Burpee's Wayahead** An extra-early head Lettuce producing medium-sized heads which are tightly folded, the inner leaves blanching to a rich, buttery yellow. Always crisp and tender. Pkt. 8c, ounce 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55c.

**169 Improved Hanson** In table quality the Hanson is perfection itself, being free from bitter taste. Forms immense, tender, crisp heads. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55c.

**170 California Cream Butter** (Royal Summer Cabbage or German Butter). A reliable heading variety. The heads are a rich, creamy yellow inside and of a tender buttery flavor. Outer leaves green, spotted brown. Stands hot dry weather remarkably well. Pkt. 8c, ounce 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 55c.

**171 New York** (Los Angeles or Cabbage). One of the largest varieties grown, forming immense heat-resisting heads, during the summer months. Outer leaves dark green, but the heart blanches white, crisp and tender. Some produce men sell this variety as Iceberg Lettuce. Pkt. 10c, ounce 30c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 70c.

**172 Cos** (Romaine, or Celery). An entirely distinct type of Lettuce that should be more largely grown. By many considered superior in quality to all others. Forms oblong heads of large size and blanching white and tender. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c.

**182 Mixed Lettuce** This is certainly a bargain packet and you will be interested in watching the characteristics of the different varieties as they develop. Pkt. 5c, ounce 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c.

Lettuce is the most popular of all salad crops. It is mighty convenient to have plenty in your garden to be had at a minute's notice. For an all season supply you must make several plantings and of more than one variety.

CULTURE—On each packet and booklet, "Better Gardens."

### Curled or Loose Leaf Lettuce

**164 Grand Rapids** In our trial grounds last season this was the first Lettuce to reach edible, or marketable stage. The big loose heads with bright green crinkled and curled leaves are very attractive, tender and crisp. Used almost exclusively for forcing during the winter. The heads remain fresh several days. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c.



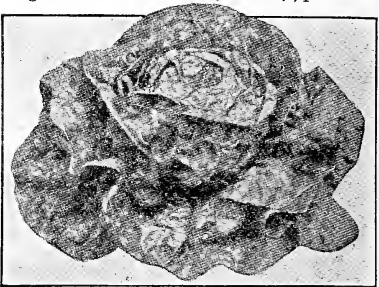
Cos or Celery Lettuce

### 165 Early Curled Simpson

One of the most satisfactory varieties for early outdoor planting, forming large, loose heads of an attractive light yellowish green. The leaves are ruffled and curled, and always very tender. Resists heat and remains in edible condition a long time. Pkt. 5c, ounce 18c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c.

### 166 Early Prize Head ("The Red Lettuce")

One of the best of the thin-leaved varieties for the home garden. Leaves very large, curled or crimped, bright green, tinged with brownish-red at the edges, tender, crisp and sweet, forming large loose heads. Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c.



Big Boston Head Lettuce

## Watermelons

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\*IRISH GRAY, for full description and illustration see No. 202 page 8.

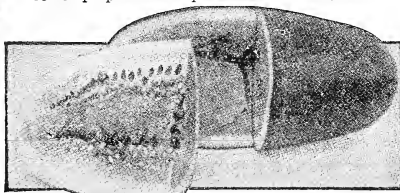
**203 Boy's Delight** Grown folks will like this melon, too, but it's just made to order for the children. The melon grows 6 to 8 inches in diameter, round as a ball and dark green. The flesh is bright red and—Oh! so sweet!—you won't know when to stop eating. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. for 25c.

**205 Cole's Extra Early** Decidedly the finest variety for the home garden in the North. Very hardy and productive, of medium size and nearly round. Skin mottled dark and light green; flesh dark red, of granulated sparkling appearance, very sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

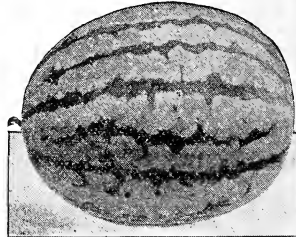
**209 Tom Watson** The most popular of all melons. Very largely grown for market. A long green variety of large size and very heavy; flesh bright red and of excellent quality. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.00.

**210 Sweet Heart** Large, oval fruit. Dark green, mottled light. Flesh bright red, tender and sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 16c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.10.

**216 Citron** (Redseeded). Makes delicious preserves. Cultural direction and a nice recipe printed on packet. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c.



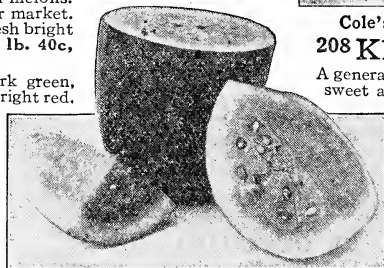
Kleckley's Sweets—Our Improved Strain



Cole's Early Watermelon

### 208 Kleckley's Sweets

A general favorite with all lovers of sweet and luscious melons, and cannot be too highly recommended for either private gardens or for near markets; is oblong, of good size, skin dark, rich green, thin and brittle, flesh bright scarlet, crisp, sugary and melting. Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 45c, lb. \$1.20.



Tom Watson Watermelon

**206 Golden Honey** You will endorse golden fleshed melons after tasting Golden Honey, for it's as "sweet as honey." Fruit medium large, oblong, dark green. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c.

**207 Halbert's Honey** One of the finest melons for the home garden, of superb luscious quality. Medium large, oval, dark green; flesh bright crimson. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

# Onion Seed is Scarce

Order Yours at Once. Prices subject to stocks being unsold

The Onion Seed crops were almost a total failure last summer—so good seed is scarce and high. Our advice is to order your onion seed very early. Culture: Detailed instructions on packets and in booklet, "Better Gardens."

**218 Ohio Yellow Globe Danvers** A special selection of the popular Yellow Globe Danvers, that is more extensively grown for market in the great Onion growing sections of Ohio than all other varieties combined. The bulbs are uniformly globe-shaped, of good size, and bright straw-yellow in color. Also one of the best for growing sets. Pkt. 15c, 3 for 40c, ounce \$1.00,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00, lb. \$7.50.

## 222 Southport White Globe

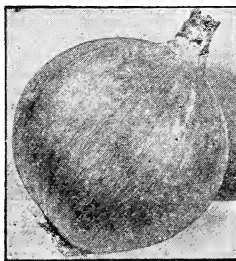
The most attractive white Onion grown, always commanding the highest market prices. Perfect globe-shape, and clear, transparent skin; flesh crisp, fine grained, and mild in flavor. Pkt. 15c, 3 for 40c, oz. 90c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.75.

## 223 Southport Red Globe

A beautiful large red Onion. Largely grown for fall and winter markets. Pkt. 15c, 3 for 40c, oz. 90c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.75.



Mammoth Silver King



Ohio Globe Danvers

**221 Mammoth Silver King** This mammoth white variety is one of the largest in cultivation. It is of uniformly large size and fine shape, being flattened but thick. The skin is of a beautiful silvery-white, flesh snowy and tender, of a mild, sweet flavor. Its large size and handsome appearance recommend it for exhibition at fairs, for the fancy market, as well as for the home table. Pkt. 12c, 3 for 30c, oz. 75c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50, lb. \$5.00.

**224 Pickling Onion** Extra Early Silver Bell. The earliest onion in cultivation, being a selected strain of the Italian barletta. The skin is pure transparent, waxy, silver-white; very mild flavor. Pkt. 12c, oz. 50c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50, lb. \$4.25.



Prizetaker and Red Wethersfield

## 219 Large Red Wethersfield

This is a popular variety for winter markets, being an excellent keeper. With proper soil and culture they will quickly grow to marketable size from seed. The skin is deep purplish red; flesh white, sometimes slightly tinged pink; mild and sweet. Pkt. 15c, 3 for 40c, oz. 80c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.50, lb. \$6.50.

**220 Prizetaker** A splendid large growing variety to grow for fall markets or home use. With favorable conditions they may be grown from seed, to weigh two pounds or more. Handsome, straw-yellow skin, resembling the imported Spanish Onion. Very productive. More than 500 bushels have been grown to the acre. The flesh is mild, tender, and of excellent flavor. Pkt. 15c, 3 for 40c, oz. \$1.00,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00, lb. \$7.50.

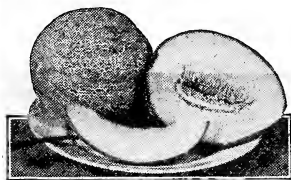
# Muskmelons

CULTURE—Instructions on each packet and in booklet, "Better Gardens."

\*Lake Champlain See No. 193 on page 8.

**189 Osage** or Miller's Cream, sometimes called the Queen of Melons. One of the best known and desirable melons to plant. Size medium large, almost round, deeply ribbed. Color dark green, with lighter bands between the ribs. Flesh very thick, rich orange salmon, and of superb quality, sweet and melting. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.

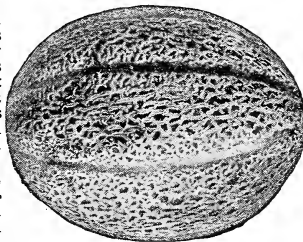
**190 Rocky Ford** The best known variety and more largely grown than any other. Flesh green, thick, juicy and of delicious flavor. Our seed is Northern grown, insuring early maturing crops. Pkt. 5c, ounce 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.25.



Golden Hearts Muskmelon

**183 Golden Hearts** Here is a melon to make your mouth water, the deep golden salmon flesh is so sweet. The melon is medium small, the size much in demand for the fancy hotel trade, averaging 5-6 inches in diameter, yet heavy because of the thick flesh and small seed cavity. It ripens right down to the rind. Often there will be as many as twelve melons to the vine, and they run remarkably uniform in size and quality. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 80c.

**185 Extra Early Knight** The earliest green fleshed Melon. Medium size. Slightly oval, distinctly ribbed and netted. Very sweet. Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c.



Early Osage

**186 Honey Dew** An entirely distinct melon. The fruit is quite large, 8 to 10 lbs., nearly round, perfectly smooth skin. Color nearly white turning to a light lemon-yellow. The green flesh is indescribably sweet with a delightful flavor. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c, lb. \$1.75.

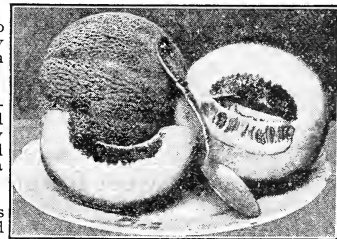
**192 Honey Ball** A cross between Honey Dew and the Cannonball Cantaloupe. The sugar sweet flesh of the Honey Dew is retained and in all other ways it is much better. Honeyball is early, hardy, extremely prolific and the melons stand in good condition for a week to ten days after pulled off the vine. It is round and medium size. The rind is hard but very thin with a small seed cavity and extra thick flesh. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

**184 Gold Lined Rockyford** or Delicious. This new melon retains all the good qualities of Rockyford, and is superior in many respects. The green flesh, which is remarkably sweet and juicy, has a lining of gold. Very attractive. Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c, lb. \$1.50.

**187 Banana** An odd melon because of its shape, but some like it better than any other. Skin smooth, and the color of a banana. Grows 18 to 24 inches long. Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c.

**188 Emerald Gem** Grows just the right size for your table, and is sweet as honey. The melon is not large, but very prolific. In shape it is round, slightly flattened at the ends. Skin emerald green under the netting. Flesh rich orange-yellow. Matures early. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.

Melons like warm sandy soil, well drained. Enrich the hills with fertilizer.



Emerald Gem

## Garden Peas

One-fourth pound will plant a 50 ft. row.

**Peas from your own Garden**—Picked only an hour or two before eating are twice as sweet as those that have been in a store for a day or two. That is a proven fact. Peas produce early—they make your garden begin to pay quick. They do well on any fair garden soil—easy to tend, requiring little attention, and everybody likes sweet fresh peas. Plant both early and late varieties so that there will always be plenty to fill the basket.

**\*Progress** See No. 240 on page 9.

**234 Extra Early Alaska** or **Earliest of All.** The hardiest of the extra-early varieties. Very productive. Peas smooth, bluish green, very fair quality. More extensively grown for early market than any other variety. Height 2 feet.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 35c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

**235 First-in-Market** Extra-early, smooth, white-seeded. Height 2 feet. Well filled pods 2 to 2½ inches long. Our strain is same season as Alaska and yields about 10 per cent more.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 35c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

**236 Nott's Excelsior** The earliest dwarf wrinkled pea. A sturdy, compact, dwarf growth, 18 to 20 inches high. Pods chock-full of large luscious peas of unusually sweet flavor.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.10.

**237 Thomas Laxton** The best quality and heaviest yielding of all early tall peas—only 10 days later than Alaska. vines 2½ ft. tall. Pods long, broad, handsome, packed full of deliciously sweet peas. You can pick enough for a nice meal in short order. Outyields the old Gradus 25 per cent.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.20.

**\*Peter Pan** The best dwarf pea. See No. 238 on page 9.

**239 Alderman** Height 4½ feet. Of the well known Telephone type, but of a darker green color. Very robust and productive. Peas of large size and unsurpassed in quality. Best of the large main-crop varieties.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 45c, 3 lbs. \$1.15.

## Edible Podded Peas

**251 Mammoth Melting Sugar** Height 5 ft. Well deserves its name. Should be cooked and eaten pods and all, the same as wax beans. Pods are stringless and when cooked are tender, sweet and sugary.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 18c, lb. 50c, 3 lbs. \$1.25.

**252 Dwarf Gray Sugar** Height 18 inches. Similar to Melting Sugar, but of dwarf growth, requiring no brush, with smaller flat pods about 3 inches in length.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 15c, lb. 40c, 3 lbs. \$1.00.

Remember that our prices on Peas include delivery to your post office.

## Parsnip

**256 Large Sugar** Improved Hollow Crown or Guernsey. An improved strain of the well known Hollow Crown. Roots are not as long but greater in diameter. Very productive. Large white roots, tender and sweet. Generally considered the best. Then why should we confuse the buyer by listing 3 or 4 other varieties? Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. 75c.



Large Sugar Parsnips

## Parsley

**260 Champion Moss Curled** The best curled leaf variety for garnishing soups or stews. Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c.

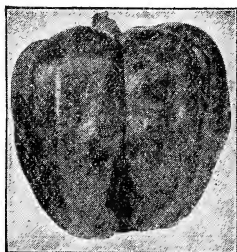
**261 Turnip Rooted** Forms an edible root resembling a small parsnip. Pkt. 8c, ounce 20c.

## Peppers

**265 New Royal King** A fine new variety, an improvement over the popular Ruby King. A very heavy bearer. Thick-meated and of mild flavor. Undoubtedly the "one best" pepper to grow. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 20c, oz. 50c.

**266 New Early Sweet Salad** A new sweet, upright Pepper, so sweet that it may be eaten raw. Just the right size for stuffing and frying and a dandy for salads. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 25c, oz. 60c.

**267 Small Hot Varieties** A mixture including Cayenne, Celestial, Tabasco, Coral Gem, Red Cherry. Excellent for pepper sauce, etc.; also interesting as ornamental plants. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 20c.



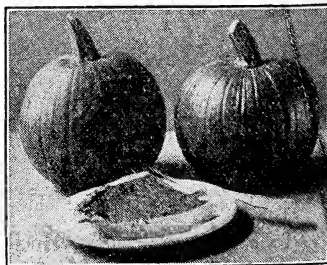
Royal King Pepper

## Pumpkins

**274 Small Sugar Pie** Is so well known as the best pie pumpkin it requires little description. The fruit is small to medium, with solid fine grained flesh. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

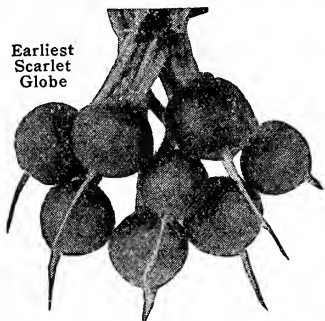
**275 Tennessee Sweet Potato** Resembles a Sweet Potato in flavor. It is pearshaped and slightly ribbed. Color creamy-white. A first-class keeper. Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c.

**276 Jumbo** or **King of Mammoths.** Fruit enormous size—often 150 to 200 pounds. So grow a few for the county fair. Fair quality for pies and great for stock food. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c.



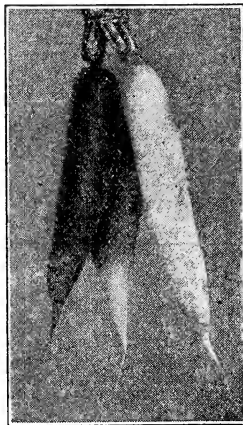
Small Sugar Pie Pumpkin



Earliest  
Scarlet  
Globe**282 White Tip Scarlet Gem**

or **Sparkler**. A very early and attractive variety of the globe or turnip shaped class. Bright scarlet with a distinct white tip. Very popular for home and market. Pkt. 8c, oz. 18c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

**283 White Box** A popular, early, round radish with white skin, and crisp tender flesh. Stands hot weather well. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c.



Long Scarlet, Chartier, Icicle

## Radishes

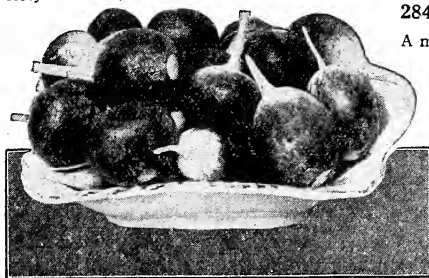
### For Spring, Summer and Winter

**Radish Seed Quality**

There are two kinds of Radish Seed. One will produce good, crisp roots; the other will run to tops. Our seed has been carefully selected for its root forming quality and will give you crisp, sparkling roots.

\*Saxa See No. 291 page 9.

**281 Earliest Scarlet Globe** This is the most popular of the extra-early globe varieties. It is of rapid growth, brilliant scarlet in color. Has small tops, and is probably more largely grown for home and market than any other variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 18c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.00.



White Tip Scarlet Gem

**286 Earliest Long Scarlet** The finest strain of this very popular Radish. The long slim roots look nice and taste good, crisp and appetizing. Plant for second early, ready in about 35 days. Pkt. 5c, oz. 16c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 85c.

**287 Long White Icicle** The finest White Radish grown. Long slender root which remains tender and crisp until grown. Matures early, has small top which permits close planting. Pkt. 5c, oz. 18c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

**288 Chartier or Shepherd.** A summer Radish remaining edible after the early kinds. Attractive long red roots with waxy white tip. Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

**289 All Seasons Mixture** Each packet contains a mixture of all the above described varieties. An interesting packet for small gardens. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 80c.

**290 Winter Radishes** Winter Radishes should be planted in August. If planted in early spring, they will run to seed. Each packet will contain a mixture of several varieties, including China Rose, Celestial or Mammoth White China, and Long Black Spanish. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. \$1.00.

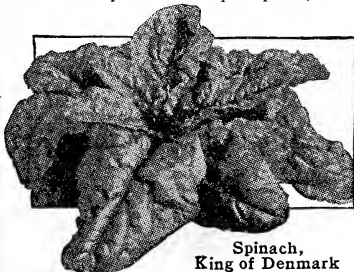
**301 Interesting Japanese Radishes** An interesting packet, containing a mixture of the following varieties: Japanese Bottle Radish, Long String Radish, Miyashige, Nerima, Mammoth Shogoin and Giant Sa-ku-ri-ji-ma, that grows to weigh 25 to 30 lbs. These are all winter Radishes and should not be planted before last of July. Try a packet, plant in deep rich soil, and beat your neighbors. They are the largest radishes grown. Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c.

**387 Salsify or Vegetable Oyster**

Why don't you grow Salsify? It is one of the most delicious and nutritious of vegetables. In soup it has a delicious oyster flavor. Also fine if fried in butter, or boiled and made into fritters. It is perfectly hardy and should remain in the garden for spring use. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c.

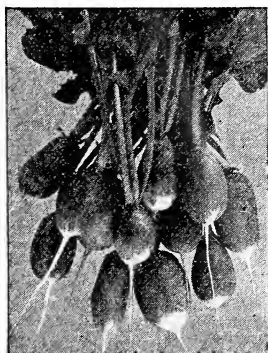
**The Best Spinach**

**302 King of Denmark** Antvorskov. Will give you big cuttings of delicious, tender leaves for two weeks after other varieties of spinach have gone to seed. The long standing qualities are remarkable and yet it is a quick grower, coming medium early. Low compact plant; leaves broad, heavy, crumpled and dark green. Quality fine. Pkt. 10c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 80c.

Spinach,  
King of Denmark

**303 Bloomesdale Savoy** A most valuable variety. In appearance the leaf is wrinkled in the same way as that of the Savoy Cabbage, hence the name. It is a very early variety, also one of the best for autumn planting. The plant is of upright growth, matures quickly. For a continual supply sow every ten days until June. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 50c.

**304 New Zealand Spinach** Tetragonia or Everbearing Spinach. The only variety that will give you good cuttings of spinach greens all summer. Of fine quality producing its tender leaves throughout the hottest summer weather without going to seed. This is an entirely distinct species. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 40c, lb. 80c.



French Breakfast

**284 French Breakfast**

A most beautiful Radish of true olive shape. A color bright carmine with clear white in the lower portion. French Breakfast is an exceedingly early variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 16c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. 90c.

**285 Crimson Giant**

Globe Also called Giant Butter.

A rapid growing, radish so ready early—yet it grows large and remains in edible condition longer than other early round sorts. Pkt. 5c, oz. 16c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. 90c.



Salsify

# Squashes

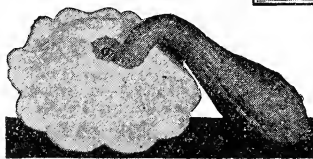
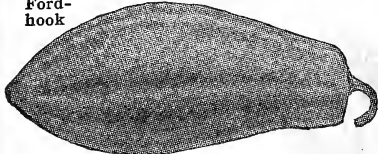
**CULTURE**—Instructions on packets and booklet "Better Gardens."

**309 New Table Queen** Also called **Des Moines**. The introducer says: "Just wash it clean, cut it in half, take out the seed and bake 20 minutes, and you will have the nicest squash you ever tasted." Splendid for pies. **Table Queen** is just the right size, averaging 6 to 8 inches long, and 5 to 6 inches in diameter. Color is dark green, sometimes with blotches of red at pointed end. Shell smooth and hard, ripens in the fall, and keeps as long as Hubbard. **Pkt. 10c, ounce 20c, ¼ lb. 60c.**

**310 Golden Custard** **Yellow Bush Scallop or Patty-Pan**. The earliest of all squashes. Use the fruit while young and tender. Flesh is pale yellow and good flavor. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c.**

**312 Fordhook** A desirable Squash for both summer and winter use. One housewife told us it was the best summer squash she had ever eaten. In our trial grounds it was ready to eat very early. A good keeper. Fruit 8 to 10 inches long. Skin light yellow, shell hard, flesh very thick. Cooks mealy and dry. Each vine produces many squash. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 60c.**

Fordhook



Custard and Crookneck Squashes

**315 Delicious** The sweetest of all winter squashes, but not quite as good to keep as Hubbard. About the size and color of Hubbard. Very dry, sweet, and of rich flavor. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 60c.**

**313 Improved Hubbard** The most popular Winter Squash. Delicious for baking and rivaling the best pumpkin for pies. Has deep orange flesh. Our strain grows large, has dark green, moderately warts shell and has been selected to give fruit of greater weight and food value than the ordinary Hubbard. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 50c, lb. \$1.50.**

**314 Golden Hubbard** Fruits the same shape as Green Hubbard, of equal keeping and eating quality but earlier and smaller in size. However they are just as good keepers. Skin deep orange yellow. Quality equal to Hubbard. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 50c.**

**316 Mammoth Chili** A mammoth exhibition squash—the largest grown. Has been grown to weigh more than 200 pounds. Skin and flesh orange yellow, of very fair quality for eating and good stock feed. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c.**



Sparks' Earliana

**326 Acme** A popular purple or pink variety. Medium early, good size, uniformly solid and smooth. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 65c.**

**329 Dwarf Stone** The compact, upright plants require little space, and no staking, yet they yield heavily. Fruit smooth, red, medium size, fine quality. **Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 25c, oz. 45c.**

**334 Yellow Husk** (or strawberry) has small yellow fruit enclosed in a husk. The fruit is very sweet and is highly prized for preserves or pies. **Pkt. 10c.**

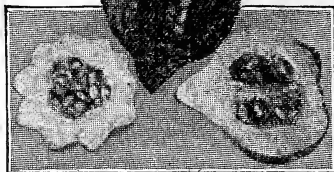
**335 The Norton** A fine smooth fancy tomato very similar to New Stone. Recommended by the U. S. government, as being blight and wilt resisting. Proved to be remarkably productive in our trials. **Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 30c, oz. 50c.**

**336 Ponderosa "Beefsteak."** This is not only the largest but also the heaviest Tomato grown. Color glowing purple-crimson. Considered by many the best table variety. Being very solid, with few seeds, it is very desirable for slicing. **Pkt. 10c, ½ ounce pkg. 30c, oz. 55c.**

**337 Golden Queen** Good housewives tell us they are much richer than red varieties. The rich yellow slices served with a bright red variety make a tempting dish. **Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 25c.**

**338 Small Preserving** An interesting mixture comprising Red and Yellow Cherry, Peach, Pear, Plum, Currant and Husk Tomatoes. Very desirable for preserves, also dried in sun and packed with sugar make a fine substitute for figs. **Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 25c.**

New Table Queen Squash



**311 Giant Summer Crookneck**

The best known early Bush Squash. Skin and flesh deep golden yellow. Very productive and fine quality. A general favorite. Fruits often 2 ft. long. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c.**



Favorite Winter Keeper

Improved Hubbard Squash

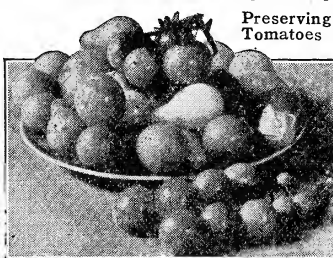
# Tomatoes

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\***Burbank**, \***Golden Colossal**, See Nos. 330 and 331 on page 9.

**325 Sparks' Earliana** The standard first early tomato. Our seed is selected to produce smoother, deeper fruits than the ordinary at the same time retaining earliness. Medium size, bright scarlet, good quality. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 75c, lb. \$2.50.**

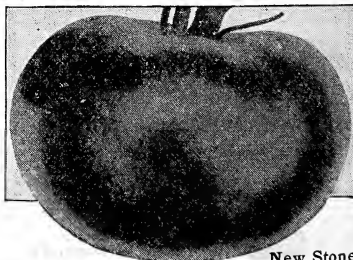
**332 Gulf State** The heaviest yielding of all tomatoes—best and earliest of the purple pink varieties. That is the result obtained on our trial grounds where we tested all of the leading varieties. Plant Gulf State not only because it fills up the baskets so quickly, but because each fruit is so firm, almost true globe shaped—ripens uniformly, free from cracks or blemishes around the stem end. The vines are so vigorous the plants seldom blight. **Pkt. 15c, ¼ oz. 35c, oz. 80c.**



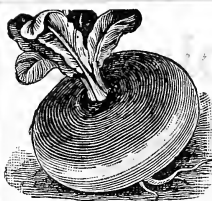
Preserving Tomatoes

**327 New John Baer** Extra early. Medium large beautiful brilliant red, solid, excellent quality, and enormously productive. We believe it worth a trial. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 30c, ¼ lb. 65c.**

**328 New Stone** "King of the Reds." The standard main-crop variety. The fruit is of uniformly large size, smooth, very solid, and of best table quality. Fine for canning. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c, ¼ lb. 60c, lb. \$2.00.**



New Stone



Early Milan

# Turnips

Turnips yield an immense amount of good food for the space they occupy.

**CULTURE**—Detailed Instructions on each packet and in booklet "Better Gardens."

**346 Extra Early Milan** Earliest Turnip in cultivation. Flat, smooth, of medium size, with bright purple top and few leaves. Flesh white and sweet. The best for early spring planting, also suitable for fall planting. A good keeper. Pkt. 8c, oz. 18c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 35c, lb. 85c.

**349 Purple Top Strap-Leaf** The standard for this part of the country. Superior for early or late planting. Flattened, good sized, small top with but few leaves; flesh very fine; flavor good. Pkt. 5c, oz. 12c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 65c.

**350 Purple Top White Globe** This is one of the handsomest and most desirable varieties grown. Very similar to Strap-Leaf variety, except in shape, being a perfect globe-shape. For home and market. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 75c.

**347 White Egg** Forms a beautiful egg-shaped root with thin white skin. Flesh always firm, solid and sweet. Pkt. 8c, oz. 18c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 80c.

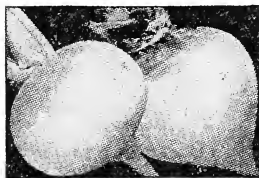
**348 Golden Ball** One of the most delicate and sweetest of yellow-fleshed Turnips yet introduced. Medium in size. Uniformly smooth and solid. Pkt. 8c, oz. 18c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 75c.

**351 Rutabaga** (American Swede). Produces uniformly large, globe-shaped roots. Purple above ground, and yellow below. Flesh very solid, rich yellow, fine-grained and very sweet. Largely grown for market and stock. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 30c, lb. 75c.



No. 349 Turnips No. 347

**352 Golden Hearts** Rutabaga. Here is a new Rutabaga or Swede, tender and sweet as can be. The roots are globe shaped, smooth, medium large with bronze or sometimes reddish tops. Flesh golden yellow. Few vegetables give as much good food for the space occupied as Golden Hearts Rutabaga. Make two plantings, one early, another later. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c, lb. \$1.35.



Turnip No. 350 and Rutabaga No. 351

## 389 Mammoth Russian Sunflower

The best egg-producing food known for poultry. Every farmer should plant some of the seed in any out-of-the-way place at any time in May or June. Single heads will often measure 15 to 18 inches across and contain an immense quantity of seed. Hang the heads in the poultry house, where the hens can reach them. Ounce pkg. 5c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 12c, lb. 25c, 3 lbs. 60c.

**390 Extra Early Spanish Peanuts** By planting the extra early Spanish, the y mature a nice crop if planted on light, sandy soil in full sunshine. The nuts are not quite so large as the ones usually sold, but are very solid and sweet. Just what the boys will want to plant. Instructions on packet. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 20c, lb. 45c.



Peanuts, Early Spanish

## For Sunny Places Your Lawn Seed For Shady Places

There is no doubt whatever but that a fine green lawn is the most important step in landscape improvement. Without it the appearance of your house itself, your trees, shrubs and flower plantings all fail to come up to the very best. And success in making a lawn depends very much on the quality of the seed. That is why we have made an extensive study of lawn grasses and carried numerous experiments to find the very best grass mixtures. A well blended grass mixture is far better than any one variety of grass used alone.

Of course the preparation of the soil and time of sowing also are important. We recommend spring and early fall as the best times to make a lawn. Ask for free leaflet on lawn making.

**LAWN SEED PRICES.** Some of the grasses that are most important in lawn mixtures, as Blue Grass and Red Top produced such small crops last fall that the quantity suitable for good seed is very limited and high priced. Not wishing to reduce the quality of our mixtures we are obliged to raise the prices. Beware of cheap lawn seed this year.



Buy a 5 lb. Bag of Ideal

One pound will sow 200 to 250 sq. ft. For patching up old lawn use half that amount.

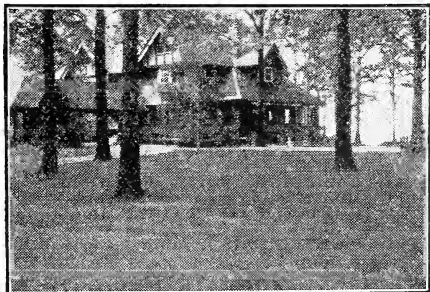
**359 Ideal Mixture** The best for a fine permanent lawn. It is a carefully blended mixture of the following varieties of hardy grasses best suited to growing a compact durable evergreen sod: Kentucky Blue Grass, Red Top, Red Fescue, Fine Leaved Fescue, Crested Dogs Tail, Pacey's Rye Grass and White Clover, a combination that insures a fine velvety lawn. Large package for bare spots, 15c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.75, 10 lbs. \$5.00.

**361 Quick Growth Mixture** Makes a good lawn quickly. While not composed of as fine or expensive grasses as Ideal, nevertheless Quick Growth is a very good mixture for the price, showing a high percentage of purity and germination. Compares favorably with many of the "best" mixtures on the market, lb. 40c, 5 lbs. \$1.90, 10 lbs. \$3.50.

**362 Pure White Clover** It is often advisable to include a larger portion of White Clover, especially in poor clay soil. Also for renovating old lawns the Clover will often take hold where other grasses fail.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c, lb. 80c, 3 lbs. \$2.25.

Ask for prices on large quantities of Lawn Seed.

**360 Shady Nook Mixture** The best for shady places. A special mixture containing varieties that will succeed in partial shade, suitable for sowing under shade trees and in shady corners, where the ordinary mixture will not do. Large pkt. 15c, lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.75, 10 lbs. \$5.00.



At the home of President of Cleveland Rotary Club

BETTER GO OVER THE VEGETABLE LIST AGAIN TO SEE THAT YOU HAVEN'T OVERLOOKED ANYTHING

# FLOWER NOVELTIES

## Complete List of Antirrhinum Maximum

list of varieties and mixtures as follows:

545 **PRES. COOLIDGE** Crimson.

546 **THE ROSE** Rose Pink.

530 **SNOWFLAKE** Pure White.

535 **CANARY BIRD** Canary Yellow.

534 **PURPLE KING** Deep Purple.

533 **OLD GOLD** Gold and Bronze.

532 **WALLFLOWER** Orange Copper.

531 **APPLE BLOSSOM** Light Pink.

PRICE, ANY OF THE ABOVE, 15c EACH, ANY FOUR 50c.

## 547 Collection Eight Above Antirrhinums for 80c

544 **ANTIRRHINUM MAXIMUM MIXED** a grand color assortment made up from above, and still other varieties. Pkt. 20c, 3 for 50c.

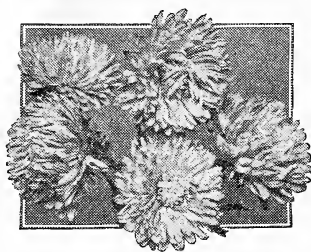
## Two New Asters

### 527 The Beauty Asters

Among the best Asters for cutting. Plants 2-3 ft. high branching and flowers with very long stems, and of excellent keeping quality. The colors are very pleasing from the lightest pink to crimson and light lavender to purple. Pkt. 15c, 2 pkts. 25c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c.

### 528 New Delicate Yellow

We have had so many requests for a yellow Aster that we know you will all want to plant this variety. The flowers are quite large, well formed, and fully double. You will find it a nice variety for cutting, and the largest American Aster grower calls it the best yellow he has ever seen. Pkt. 20c, 3 for 50c.



The Beauty Asters  
Make Beautiful Cut Flowers

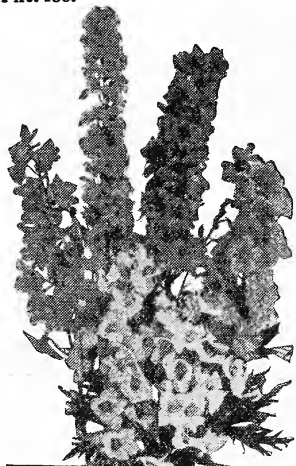
568 **Golden Barton** A fine hardy annual of all around value. The foot high plants carry masses of golden yellow cup-like flowers from July to September. Nice for cutting, as a border, or a golden bed. The foliage has a very attractive gray green color. Easy to grow, but does not like transplanting. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 20c.

### 789 Everblooming (Cone Flower.)

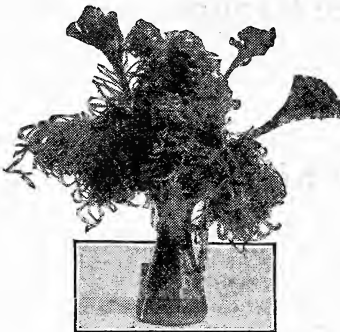
**Rudbeckia, Bicolor.** The showy flower belongs to the same family as the popular Golden Glow, but is an annual blooming quickly from seed. The plants grow 2 to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  ft. high bearing an abundance of bright yellow flowers 2 to 3 inches across. The central disk is brown and cone shaped. Last season we received many words of praise of this. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 20c.

### 626 Summer Forget-Me-Not

**Cynoglossum Indigo Blue.** A very desirable annual that blooms in a few weeks from seed. The bushy little plants are about 18 inches high and covered with dainty blue flowers so similar to the Spring Forget-Me-Not. A welcome addition to the blue garden and still very rare. Enjoy it this summer. Pkt. 15c.



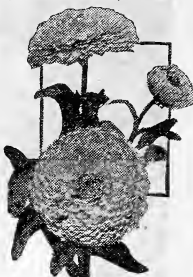
Delphinium, Gold Medal  
Grow as other Perennials



Plumed Knight

### 618 Plumed Knight

You will call this one of the most wonderful of all the flowers grown by mankind, the result of over twenty years of patient toil with certain members of the Celosia family. Each packet of seed will produce waving plumes in dozens of color shades—rose, silvery pink, salmon, red, purple, orange and yellow. And the texture of each bloom is like the softest, velvet plush. Plumed Knight is easy to grow and printed cultural directions will be with each packet. The plants are so highly bred to be almost seedless so the seed produced is almost as valuable as gold dust. Special pkt. 25c, 5 pkts. for \$1.00.



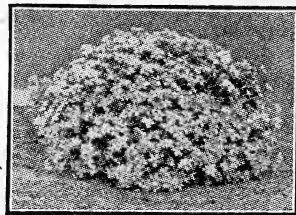
Ball Calendula

### 572 Calendula, The Ball

Special Florist's Strain. For outdoor gardens as well. The Ball Calendula is by far the largest and finest Orange Calendula. Green houses now demand it, and even in your outdoor garden you can grow flowers 3 inches and more across and fully double. To get the finest flowers follow the planting directions printed on each packet. Pkt. 25c,  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.00.

### 707 Border of Gold

**Tagetes.** This sunny little flower belongs to the marigold family, growing 12 to 15 inches high and making a compact plant. The foliage is fern-like and dainty. Planted in a row, all during the summer and fall you will have a golden stripe of bloom. The flowers literally cover the plants with sunshine. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c.



Border of Gold

### 957 Delphinium, Gold Medal

Our special Temley Strain of Hardy Delphiniums. This strain embraces the finest collection of Hybrid Delphiniums the world affords. The shades range from pale lavender to deep indigo blue, a glorious mixture. We grow the finest English strains including the famous Blackmore and Langtons and the outstanding successes of this country. The result is the Special Temley strain. Pkt. 20c, 2 pkts. 35c.

## Two New Delphinium, Scarlet and Yellow

**947 New Scarlet** Nudicaule. Another grand Delphinium Novelty, having bright scarlet flowers, but dwarfier plants than the other strains, about 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall. Delphiniums are gaining in popularity and you will surely want the new colors. Pkt. 25c.

**948 New Yellow** Zalil. Plants grow 3 ft. high and flower formation is quite similar to the blue Delphinium. However, the color is so unusual and so attractive with the blue varieties that we heartily recommend it. The long yellow spikes are very fine. It is a variety that will attract attention in your garden. The seed is costly and germinates very slowly, and we suggest care in starting. Pkt. 25c.

**949 Delphinium** One pkt. each No. 947 Scarlet and 948 Yellow. Try these Novelties. for 40c



# FOR 1926 GARDENS

## Beautiful New Petunias

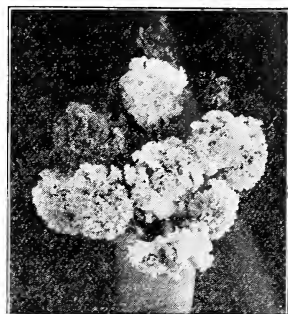
### Balcony — Red, White and Blue

The Balcony Petunias may be depended upon to give a great wealth of color throughout the summer and until hard frosts in the fall. The plants are of half trailing habit, literally covering the ground. Use them for beds, dry banks, terraces, or rockeries or porch, or window boxes and urns. The color tones are soft and velvety.

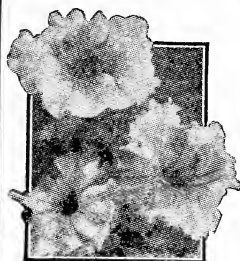
742 RED, 743 WHITE, 741 BLUE

Price of any of above colors, Pkt. 10c, 1-16 oz. 40c.

744 Collection Balcony Trio. 1 pkt. each of the three colors Nos. 742, 743 and 741 for 25c, 3 pkts. each 65c, 1-16 oz. each \$1.00.



Petunia, Double Fringed



Fringed Scarlet Beauty

**745 Fringed Scarlet Beauty** Though the illustration shows the prettily fringed petals, no picture can do justice to the velvety finish and delicate shading of the real flower. Imagine how these brilliant scarlet, prettily ruffled flowers will brighten the appearance of your porch boxes and garden. Pkt. 20c, 3 pkts. 50c.

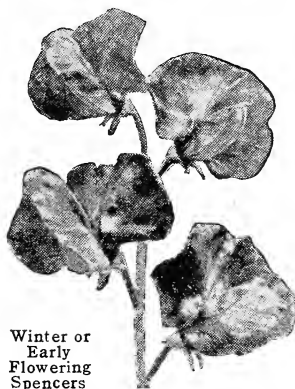
**732 Double Fringed** So many of our friends want a double petunia that we decided to offer this strain, the seed of which is worth many, many times its weight in gold. The flowers are large yet delicate, fluffy and airy, the petals prettily fringed. 60 to 75 per cent of the flowers should be fully double. Sold in double sealed packets. 30c each, 2 for 50c.

### 918 New Giant Morning Glory

When properly grown these beautiful flowers will reach a diameter of 5 to 6 inches, twice the width of the ordinary strain. A grand mixture of striped and solid color varieties. They will not only surprise but please you immensely. Pkt. 15c, ¼ oz. 25c.

### 765 Pansy, Miracle

**Mastodon Mixed.** We can almost say that miracles have been wrought in producing these wonder Pansies. The plants are hardy, very early flowering, bear huge blooms on long stems and the colors,—well, they are beyond description. You should see a bed of these pansies in bloom. Do not buy this mixture unless you really want and will appreciate something quite out of the ordinary in pansies. Pkt. 35c, 3 pkts. for \$1.00.



Winter or Early Flowering Spencers

### Annual Larkspurs

Two fine new varieties

#### 675 Exquisite Pink

The most exquisite shade of soft rose pink imaginable. Gives beautiful long cut flower spikes all summer and fall. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 35c.

**676 Royal Blue** A deep rich color so popular now. Tall double flowering like Exquisite. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 35c.

**680 Larkspur** One pkt. each Nos. 675 and 676 above for 15c.

#### 823 Blue Salvia

**Farinacea.** You have admired the grand beds of red Salvia, but are you familiar with the beautiful blue variety of this same flower? It is nice for cutting or for bedding, the flowers being borne on tall graceful spikes. Try it this year. Pkt. 15c, 2 pkts. 25c.

### \$1.00 Collection of Winter Flowering Sweet Peas

For winter flowering in greenhouses or extra early flowering in outdoor gardens.

The collection below consists of one packet each of eight of the World's finest Sweet Peas. It includes the best colors of recent introduction, varieties that have won prizes in this country and abroad. The winter flowering Spencers are earlier than other varieties and are now demanded by those who grow flowers to sell. This collection is for you who want to excel in raising beautiful Sweet Peas. Order as follows:

804 1 pkt. each of 8 best varieties of Early Flowering Spencer Sweet Peas \$1.00

### Dahlia Zinnias

#### Complete List of Varieties

The variety Oriole illustrated on the front cover is only one of the splendid named varieties of Dahlia Zinnias you may buy. Following is a complete list of these giants, and we recommend that you plant a liberal supply.

**To Grow Prize Zinnias** start the seed as soon as soil is warm and when the plants begin to crowd transplant to stand 2 ft. apart. Snip off many of the side branches and buds and you will get mammoth flowers on the center stalk. Keep flowers picked before they fade. Light applications of "Watch-em-Grow" Plant Food during the growing season bring wonderful results.

**867 VICTORY QUILLED** Pastel Shades  
**868 EXQUISITE** Soft Rose Pink.  
**869 BUTTERCUP** Buttercup Yellow  
**870 CRIMSON MONARCH** Crimson.  
**871 ORIOLE** Orange and Gold.  
**872 POLAR BEAR** Pure White.  
**PRICE ANY VARIETY, Pkt. 25c, any 3 Pkts. 60c, ½ oz. \$1.00.**

**865 Dahlia Mixed** Pkt. 20c, 3 for 50c, ½ oz. 60c.

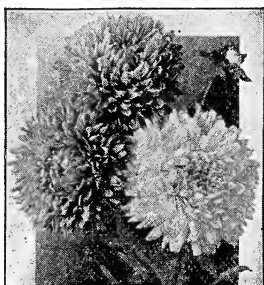
**873 Collection Dahlia Zinnias** One packet each of 6 named varieties for.....\$1.00



Dahlia Zinnias will give bouquets all summer and fall.



Blue Salvia



Queen of the Market

## 502 Queen of the Market

The best of the extra-early varieties, fully two weeks ahead of all others. Flowers quite large and double. Mixed. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. \$1.00.

**503 American Branching** The best all around Aster. In their full glory in September. The flowers are big balls of color often 4 inches across, always on long stems, fine for cutting. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c, oz. \$1.00.



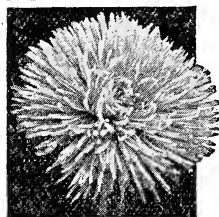
Giant Comet

**509 Daybreak** Called forth more admiration at our trial grounds last year than any other Aster. The dwarf, sturdy, compact plants were literally bouquets of big double round balls. Uniform compact habit. Unsurpassed for borders. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. pkg. 30c, oz. \$1.50.

**512 Snowball** Sturdy plants bearing an abundance of big snowy-white blooms, medium early. The best dwarf white Aster. Fine for bedding, cutting or the garden border. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c, oz. \$1.65.

**513 Unicum** A distinct extra-early Aster of star-like appearance, each petal tightly quilled. Flowers 3 to 4 inches across. Several colors mixed. You will like it. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c, oz. \$1.50.

**510 King** A distinct new type. Very large, double flowers, with long, narrow, folded, needle-like petals. Flowers resemble Cactus Dahlias. Very attractive, all colors. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce pkg. 30c, oz. \$1.50.



New King

On page 24 are two fine new asters

# Lovely Asters

The leading types of Asters are offered here. It is possible to have early ones in bloom in July and others to follow right up to snow. Some border types and others of the stately cut and flower varieties. Your friends will marvel at the Asters you can grow from these seeds.

**\*Beauty Asters and \*Delicate Yellow** See Nos. 528, 527, page 24. Not in collection 514.

**501 Heart of France** Why is this beauty considered the finest deep red Aster? Because the coloring is so rich. Deep ruby red, glowing and alive, handsome in natural or artificial light. It will be your favorite also. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c.

**525 Betty J. Aster.** The new long stemmed Aster. The stems are as long and the flowers large enough to rival Chrysanthemums. The lively rose pink of the flowers is the color so much in demand by cut flower buyers, with excellent lasting qualities either in the plant or cut in water. It will grow real Prize Asters. Pkt. 15c, 2 pkts. 25c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 75c.



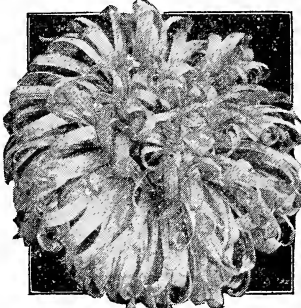
American Beauty

**529 Temley's Giants** The flowers are of that attractive Crego and Ostrich Plume type with such graceful, curled and twisted petals. But they are much larger, often 4 and 5 inches across on great long stems. The plant is a vigorous grower, nothing weak about it, and even a few plants will provide you many beautiful bouquets. Mixed colors. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60c.

**504 American Beauty** One of the most beautiful Asters of recent introduction. Of very vigorous habit, producing large perfectly double flowers on long stems. The color is the "American Beauty" brilliant rosy pink. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c, oz. \$1.75.

**505 Astermum** Well named, because the shaggy flowers are really more like Chrysanthemums than Asters. Plants are branching with long stems but rather dwarfer than the Comet type. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. pkg. 30c, oz. \$1.50.

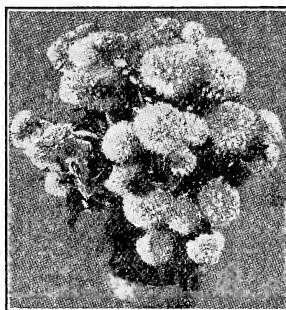
**506 Giant Comet** Resembling the Japanese Chrysanthemum. The flowers are from 3 to 4  $\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter, perfectly double, on long stems. Mixed colors. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  ounce pkg. 30c, oz. \$1.50.



Asternum

**508 New Single Marshall Joffre.** The plants are low and sturdy and fairly covered with large daisy like flowers. The petals are velvety crimson with gold and brown centers. Try a packet and you will be delighted with the many flowers you can pick from even a few plants. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c.

**511 Ostrich Plume** A fine type of Giant Comet, having very long, irregularly twisted petals, producing a plume-like effect. Flowers very large, on long stems; fine for cut flowers. All colors mixed. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c, oz. \$1.25.



New Daybreak

## 514 One packet each of above 14 Asters \$1.00

Asters in Separate Colors Suitable for cutting, bordering or beds.

Made up from the most desirable varieties. Suitable for cutting, bordering or beds.

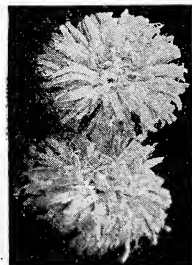
515 Pure White, pkt. 10c.

516 Delicate Pink, pkt. 10c.

517 Blue and Lavender, pkt. 10c.

518 One pkt. each 515, 516, 517 for 20c.

**519 Extra Quality Mixed Asters** Very carefully prepared — containing all of the separate types we list, and others as well. It will give you a beautiful Aster collection for the price of one packet — types early, midseason and late, and all the colors known to Asters. Plant a quantity of this mixture and see what delights are in store for you. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 85c, oz. \$1.50.



Ostrich Plume

## Amaranthus—Three Pretty Foliage Plants

**536 Caudatus** "Love Lies Bleeding." Long, drooping, blood red panicles. Very easily grown. Hardy annual. Height, 2 to 3 ft. Pkt. 10c.

**537 Salicifolia** "Fountain Plant." Willow-leaved. The pretty, green, red and yellow foliage is gracefully arching like a fountain spray. Pkt. 10c.

**538 Tricolor** "Joseph's Coat." Very brilliant coleus-like foliage, the red, yellow and green beautifully blended. An exceptionally fine strain. Pkt. 10c.

**539 Summer Poinsettia** **New Amaranth.** This brilliant foliage plant is an improvement over Burbank's Molten Fire. On good soil it grows 4 ft. tall and 3 ft. across. Large crinkly leaves and rich bronzy purple with a red blotch along the midrib. Then in August the terminal leaves turn fiery crimson like a poinsettia creating a sensation wherever grown. Pkt. 15c, 3 for 40c.

## Antirrhinum or Snapdragon

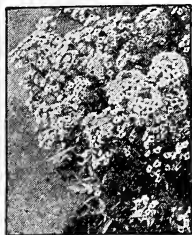
**543 Medium Mixed** Without question one of the most desirable flowers for general garden culture. They come in a great variety of colors and are equally good for bouquets or for mass planting. When sown early inside, they bloom in July and then until frost. Medium tall strain, 18 to 20 inches. Finest mixed colors. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 25c.

**\*Maximum** Mixed and Separate Colors, see front Cover and pages 3 and 24.

## 557 Bachelor's Button

**MIXED (RAGGED ROBIN, CORNFLOWER, OR BLUE BOTTLE.)**

One of the most popular and desirable of old fashioned garden annuals. Bachelor's Button and Baby's Breath make a most beautiful bouquet. Mixed colors, double and single. Pkt. 5c, ¼ oz. 15c.



Alyssum



Antirrhinum

## Alyssum

### 550 Little Gem

Dwarf, neat, compact habit. Blooms from spring to frost. Excellent for bordering beds or walks; also baskets or vases. Flowers white, completely covering the plants. Pkt. 5c, ¼ oz. 15c, oz. 50c.

### 551 Lilac Queen

A decided acquisition. Just like Little Gem, except color being a delicate lilac. Very pretty. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 30c.



Bachelor's Button

**Candytuft** One of our most useful and popular annuals. Completely covered all summer with clusters of flowers that are well suited for borders or bouquets.

**577 GIANT HYACINTH.** Very large, bold spikes of pure white flowers. Pkt. 10, ¼ oz. 30c, oz. 85c.

**578 MIXED** including all colors. Pkt. 5c, ¼ oz. 20c, oz. 50c.

### 581 Calliopsis

One of the leading plants for the flower garden, making a very showy border, producing flowers in nearly every shade of yellow, orange, crimson and brown, on long wiry stems, fine for cutting. Pkt. 8c.

### 591 Centaurea

**Sweet Sultans.** An excellent long stemmed flower for cutting. The petals are so fine that the flower head is soft and velvety. Shades of Pink, Lavender, Rose and White. Plant 2½ ft. tall. Pkt. 10c.



California Poppy

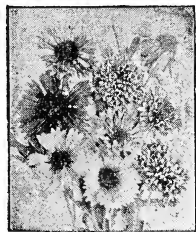


Double Balsam

**585 Cannas** (Indian Shot). Will bloom in 3 to 4 months from seed. Rapid-growing bedding plant with luxuriant foliage and brilliant flowers. Soak the seed in warm water until they become swollen. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 25c.

### 562 Blanket Flower

(Gaillardia). Very showy annuals of easy culture. Blooms from early summer to frost. Flowers on long stems in orange, bronze, maroon and crimson. Mixed colors. Pkt. 8c.



Blanket Flower

## Calendula (Scotch Marigold)

**570 MIXED COLORS.** One of the best and showiest free-flowering hardy annuals, growing in any good garden soil, producing a fine effect, in beds or mixed borders, continuing in bloom from early summer until frost. Richest yellow and orange. Pkt. 5c, ¼ oz. 15c.

**571 CALIFORNIA ORANGE.** An improved strain, having great big double orange flowers on long stems. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 25c.

**573 LEMON KING.** A beautiful clear lemon yellow, free flowering and fully double. The best yellow Calendula. Pkt. 10c, oz. 40c.

**\*572 THE BALL.** The best orange. See No. 572, page 24.

## California Poppy or Eschscholtzia

**597 ESCHSCHOLTZIA MIXED.** The state flower of California and one of the most attractive annuals for beds, edging, or masses. The finely cut foliage with the mass of bright colored Yellow and Gold flowers makes a most beautiful sight. Bloom from June until frost. Pkt. 5c, ¼ oz. 15c, oz. 35c.

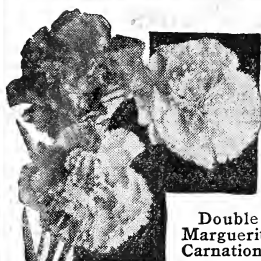
**598 NEW GEISHA.** The flowers like little silken flags are exquisitely fluted, the inside of the petals are golden yellow, the outside orange-crimson, glistening in the sunlight like molten gold. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 25c, oz. 75c.

**599 GRANDIFLORA HYBRIDS.** Persian Rug Mixture. Rich shades of gold, copper, bronze, scarlet, purple and crimson. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 25c, oz. 75c.



Gt. Hyacinth Candytuft

## Carnations and Pinks (Dianthus)



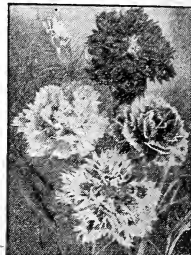
Double  
Marguerite  
Carnations

**606 Double Marguerite Carnations** These lovely, fragrant Carnations produce fine double flowers from seed sown in the garden early in the spring, blooming in about four months. When well started transplant to stand twelve inches apart. They are quite hardy, flowering until late in the fall and can be potted for winter blooming. Mixed colors. **Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c.**

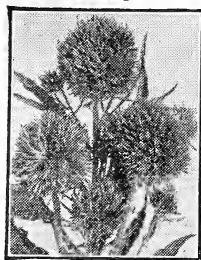
**646 China and Japan Pinks** One of the most popular and satisfactory annuals grown. Of easy culture, comprising a large variety of types and brilliant colors, many of them deeply fringed. Our mixture contains many varieties of Chinese and Japanese double and single types. **Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 15c, oz. 75c.**

**647 Nobilis or "Royal Pink."** Remarkable for their extremely bright colors, in richest shades of red, carmine, deep rose, etc. Finest double and single varieties mixed. **Pkt. 10c.**

**648 Mirabilis or "Marvelous Pinks."** Flowers large, 2 to 3 inches across, petals deeply cut into fine strips of thread-like fringe. Brilliant shades and colors of both double and single mixed. **Pkt. 10c.**



China and Japan Pinks



Chinese Wool Flower

## Giant Castor Beans

**611 ZANZIBARIENSIS.** Strong, sturdy growing tropical-like plants, having ornamental greenish-bronze foliage, desirable as center plants for canna beds, and to hide unsightly places. Ground moles may be kept away by planting Castor Beans. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c.**

## Celosias for Your Garden

**614 Chinese Wool Flower (Celosia Childsii).** Distinct forms of plumed Celosia. Plants average 2 feet in height, branching freely, each shoot bearing beautiful ball-shaped flower-heads, resembling a ball of wool. Flowers profusely during summer and fall, flower-heads retaining full beauty and color until severe frost destroys them. Contains yellow and rose shades as well as the crimson. **Pkt. 10c.**



Early Single Cosmos

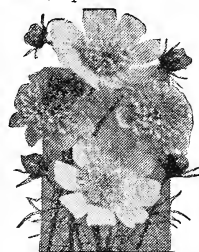
**616 Cockscomb (Celosia Cristata).** Very showy yellow and crimson annuals. Extra large, velvety flower-heads or combs. Very easy culture. Cut when partially open, and hang in a dark closet to dry, for winter decorations. Dwarf, large-flowering type. **Pkt. 10c.**

\*Ostrich Plume Celosia. See front cover and page 3.

\*Plumed Knight—See No. 618, page 24.

## Cosmos

**629 Early Single (Large Flowering).** The most desirable type to plant in the North, as it begins to bloom in August, continuing until killed by frost. The flowers are large, in delicate shades of pink, deep rose and white. Cosmos is one of the best tall (4-6 ft.) border plants, and you can pick great armfuls of flowers. **Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 15c, oz. 40c.**



Double Crested Cosmos

**631 Double Crested** The flowers are unique and exceedingly pretty, large, with double centers and an outer row or crest of broad ray petals. Blooms late summer and fall. At least 50 per cent will be double flowers. **Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.**

## 642 Dahlias

Beautiful Single, single Cactus and Peony Dahlias. They are easily grown from seed, producing flowers in many colors the first year. Many new varieties are discovered each year from seedlings. Try a packet. **Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c.**



Peony Dahlia

## 638 Blue Lace Flower

(*Didiscus Coeruleus*). Queen Anne's Blue Lace Flower is a shade of "heavenly" blue that has decided value in the cut flower bouquet or in the open garden. Flower is almost ball-shaped, a compact mass of dainty individual florets, the whole charming and graceful. Plant the seed early in a cool, rather moist, part of the garden. **Pkt. 15c, 2 pkts. 25c.**

## 625 Annual

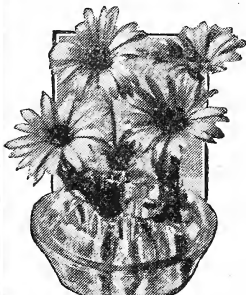
## Chrysanthemum

**Painted Daisy.** Easy growing annuals forming pretty bushy plants with a profusion of showy single and double flowers. Petals beautifully painted. **Pkt. 8c.**

## Three Fine Daisies

**635 Swan River Daisy (Brachycome).** A delightful little bush about 9 inches high giving bountifully of its dainty blue flowers all summer. Like violet blue stars the flowers practically cover the foliage. Fine for low borders, edgings—and for pot culture also. **Pkt. 10c.**

**556 Lavender Daisy (Arctotis).** One of the loveliest of daisies, the flower white softly overlaid with pale lavender. The central disk is bright steel blue and lasting qualities make it a splendid cut flower. Starting to bloom in midsummer you can pick them a plenty until late fall. Plants 2 ft. high and flowers 2½ to 2½ inches across. **Packet 10c.**



African Daisy

**639 African Daisy Golden Star.** Rare showy annual from South Africa and yet a flower easily grown in any fairly good soil. The little plants make a new low border, almost hugging the ground, and spreading out to a width of 8 or 10 inches. The large daisy-like salmon orange flowers glisten in the sun like molten gold. Blooms from July to fall frosts. **Pkt. 10c, 3 for 25c.**

**548 Summer Christmas Tree (Artemisia).** Forms a very ornamental pyramid-shaped tree 3 to 5 ft. high—resembling an Evergreen Fir Tree. Foliage is rich dark green. You will find it attractive planted as single specimens or as a border like Mexican Fire Bush. An annual making full growth from seed in one year. **Pkt. 15c, 2 pkts. 25c.**

**See what Mr. Machado says:**

"Your aster seeds were wonderful. A ten cent package made a good sized bed of mixed colors and they grew very tall and branched out profusely, so that we had large flowers until the frost killed them."



# Everlastings or Straw Flowers

**653 Mixture For Winter Bouquets.** The Everlastings or Straw Flowers are very desirable for winter bouquets, when flowers are scarce. Each packet will include a mixture of the following distinct types: *Acroclinium*, *Gomphrena* or *Globe Amaranth*, *Helichrysum*, *Rhodanthe*, *Ammobium* and *Xeranthemum*.

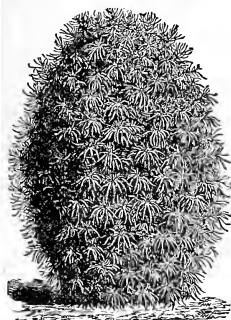
For winter use cut the flowers as they begin to open, with as long stems as possible, remove the foliage, tie in small bunches, and hang in a cool, dark place to dry, with tops downward to keep the stems straight. **Large pkt. 10c, 2 pkts. 15c.**

**\*Helichrysum Monstrosum** The best known of all strawflowers. See color plate front cover and description No. 654, page 3.

**665 Four O'Clock** (Marvel of Peru, Tall Mixed). One of the most popular and desirable annuals, of the easiest culture. Fine for hedges between the lawn and garden, or along drive-ways. Produces a dazzling effect. Buy an ounce of seed for a nice, long row. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c, ¼ lb. 50c.**

## Kochia or Fire Bush

**671 The New Giant** (Summer Cypress, Burning Bush). A charming and most effective decorative plant, with a habit resembling one of the compact evergreen shrubs. It has a light green feathery foliage, changes to crimson. May be grown as single specimens or as an ornamental hedge. **Pkt. 5c, ¼ oz. 15c, oz. 50c.**



Fire Bush

**663 Golden Feather** (*Pyrethrum Aureum*). The golden yellow feathery foliage makes it a very attractive border or bedding plant. Dwarf and compact with pretty white flowers. It is half hardy, but treat like an annual. **Pkt. 10c.**

**684 Lobelia** *Crystal Palace Compacta*. Dwarf plants, 4 to 5 inches high, covered with dainty deep blue flowers from June to November. Fine for window-boxes, pots or vases, or bordering beds in the garden. **Pkt. 15c.**

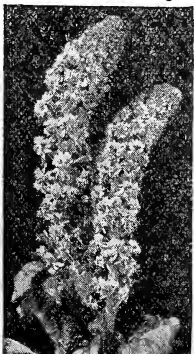
**688 Nemophila** "Baby Blue Eyes." Splendid annuals about 1 foot high; clusters of bright-colored flowers in shades of blue, white and violet, margined, dotted, etc., blooms all summer long if grown in partial shade. **Pkt. 10c, 2 pkts. 15c.**

**692 Mignonette** (*Reseda*)

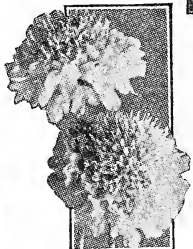
This annual is an old-time favorite and with the introduction of new types it is one of the most generally grown flowers for fragrant bouquets, bedding plants and pot culture. For a continuous supply of bloom sow seed early in spring and again in mid-summer. **Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 15c.**

**681 Nigella**

Love-in-a-mist. Compact, free-flowering annuals with pretty white and light blue flowers nestled in the feathery foliage, and curious seed-pods. **Pkt. 10c.**



Mignonette



Mourning Bride



Larkspurs

**682 Job's Tears** *Coix Lacrymae*. The seed is frequently used as an old-fashioned remedy for sore throat and teething babies. The seed is strung on a linen thread and worn around neck as a chain. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c.**

## Mourning Bride ("Pin Cushion")

**696 Mixed** The Sweet Scabious of the old-time garden, but in every way improved. Perfectly double, fragrant, elegant for cutting. Many colors. **Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c.**

**697 Azure Fairy** Pretty azure blue double flower. This was one of our best selling novelties in 1924. Do you remember it? **Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c.**

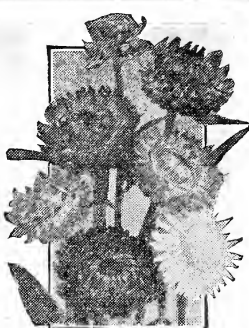
## The Best Marigolds

**703 African and French Mixed.** These are old favorite free-flowering annuals of easy culture; both are extremely effective and are well adapted for large beds or mixed borders; they succeed best in a light soil, with full exposure to the sun. A vase or bowl of any of the rich yellow sorts, in combination with a few blue Larkspurs or Cornflowers, is very striking. **Pkt. 5c, ¼ oz. 25c.**

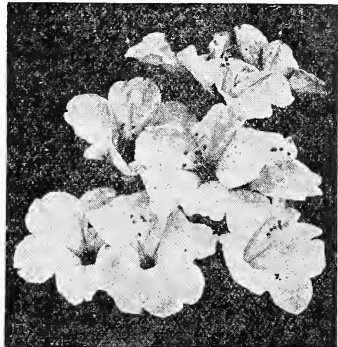
**704 Orange Prince.** A high-bred tall-growing variety, bearing large, perfect double-quilled flowers of a rich deep golden-orange, a single plant often having 50 or more splendid flowers. **Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 30c.**

**705 Lemon Queen.** A counterpart of Orange Prince except in color, which is a soft lemon-yellow, and forming a fine contrast to the rich orange of the former. **Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 30c.**

**706 Legion of Honor (Little Brownie).** A single-flowering Marigold, forming compact bushes 9 inches high. Largely used for borders. Flowers golden-yellow, with brown markings. **Pkt. 5c, ¼ oz. 25c.**



Helichrysums Mixed



Four O'Clocks

## Annual Larkspur

**674 Mixed.** Quick-growing, free flowering annual producing its long clustered spikes of beautiful flowers in greatest profusion. Splendid for old-fashioned flower or shrub border. A splendid mixture, including Emperor, Hyacinth Flowered, Dwarf Rocket. **Pkt. 8c, ¼ oz. 20c.**

**\*EXQUISITE PINK AND \*ROYAL BLUE.** See Nos. 675 and 676 page 25.

**670 Ice Plant** *Mesembryanthemum*. The foliage

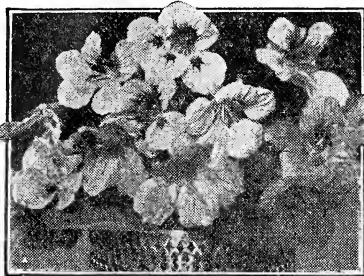
and stems are covered with crystal-like formations that glisten in the sun. Nice for hanging baskets. **Pkt. 10c.**



Marigolds, Orange Prince

## Dwarf Nasturtiums Climbing

For summer display in large or small beds, nothing can surpass Nasturtiums. They start to bloom early and keep up a continuous display of bright colored flowers until hard frost in fall. Cut the Nasturtiums freely and they will bloom better. Do not pull them from the vines but snip them off.



Nasturtiums Arranged for Your Table

### 716 Tall Ivy and Variegated

Combining two desirable new climbing types the Ivy with bright green foliage, veined light, and the Variegated with green leaves mottled with creamy-white. Flowers brilliant mixed colors. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c.

### 718 Trailing Tom Pounce

The best Nasturtium for porch boxes because of its trailing habit (vines 2 feet long). At times you hardly see the foliage because of the wealth of flowers. Flowers are a little smaller than the ordinary Nasturtium, very bright yellows and scarlets. Pkt. 10c, oz. 25c.

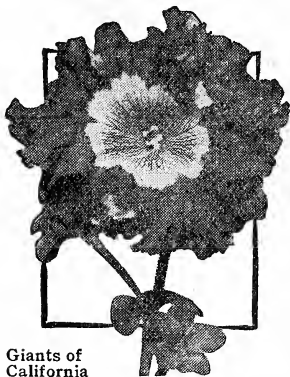


Petunia Howard's Star

**734 Howard's Star (Improved).** Over a background of velvety crimson maroon are laid the paths of snowy white. The effect is a brilliant star clearly defined. A fine bedding variety. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 50c.

**735 Snowball** Another dwarf compact variety with flowers white as snow. Plant this as a border with darker shades and the effect is charming. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 40c.

**736 Dwarf Inimitable** Mixed. Makes a gorgeous bed resplendent all summer with dark shades strikingly blotched and striped white. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 40c.



Giants of California

**715 Tall or Climbing** For trailing over porch lattice or arbors, or for covering old fences or unsightly places, also for vases, we consider the tall varieties most desirable. There is also a greater variety in colors, including the brilliant Lobbianum type. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.00.

**719 Dwarf Mixed** Specially desirable for bordering beds, walks or driveways, forming neat compact plants a foot across. Always in bloom from June to October. A splendid mixture comprising many varieties and colors. Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c, ¼ lb. 40c, lb. \$1.00.

### 721 Fancy Leaved Dwarf

Also with very dwarf compact plants but the foliage is distinct and curious—variegated and marbled silvery white—including the waved emerald green leaves. Flowers are showy. Mixed colors. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c.

**720 Lilliput Dwarf Queen of Holland** Compact little plants with very dark green foliage—profusely decked with brilliant flowers in colors pale yellow to deep purple—unsurpassed for low, even borders. Pkt. 8c, oz. 25c.

**722 Nasturtium Collection** One packet each of the six nasturtium varieties for 35 cents.



Tall Nasturtiums

## Beautiful Petunias

For freedom of bloom, variety of color and effectiveness these have no equals. If only a little care is bestowed upon them, Petunias will produce their handsome sweet-scented flowers in their delicate and gorgeous colors all summer.

\*DOUBLE FRINGED. \*SCARLET BEAUTY. \*BALCONY TRIO. See Nos 732, 745, 744 on page 25.

**730 Giants of California** You will have to see these flowers to fully realize their marvelous size and beauty. Averaging 3 to 4 inches across, the flowers are frilled and lacy embracing dozens of color tones and shades. Frequently visitors to our gardens remark, "I didn't know such petunias existed." Whether you plant them in a big bed, a border or in porch and window boxes, there is surprise and delight in store for you. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

**731 Balcony Queen** Its rich beauty is wonderful to behold. The flowers are mid-night blue, blotched downy white in the throat; of trailing habit, fine for boxes, hanging baskets and urns on the lawn, as well as bedding. Pkt. 15c, 2 pkts. 25c.

**733 Rosy Morn** Imagine the rosy hue of the sky at sunrise and you have Rosy Morn. The clear white throat but adds to its beauty. The plants are bushy and compact and very free flowering. The most popular bedding variety. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 50c.

**737 Hybrida Mixed** Pleasing shades run riot in this mixture and seemingly no matter what the conditions they are always in bloom. Pkt. 5c, ½ oz. 25c.

## Annual Phlox

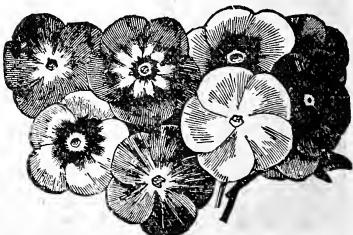
This splendid genus of plants is unrivaled for richness of color, profusion of bloom, length of duration of bloom and general compactness, and whether in clumps or masses looks equally beautiful. It is one of the finest annuals in cultivation, and should occupy a prominent place in every garden.

**751 Grandiflora Mixture** We offer this popular strain only in mixture, comprising very many of the finest varieties and colors. The large flowering type. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 35c.

**752 Starred and Fringed** This beautiful type is quite distinct. The flowers are either star-shaped or fantastically fringed, really two distinct types. Many bright colors. Pkt. 10c.

**Two Fine Dwarf Phloxes** Fireball scarlet and Snowball white. Excellent for ribbon bedding.

**753 Fireball.** Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 50c. **754 Snowball.** Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 50c.



Phlox, Grandiflora Mixed

## Growing the Finest Pansies

This is a matter of the finest seed as well as good culture. Our seed will give you an excellent start, and for CULTURE, brief directions are on each packet and complete details on page 40 of "Better Gardens."

### 763 Giant Exhibition Strain

In order that you have the pleasure of growing some of the very best pansies in existence at a nominal expense we are searching each season—almost to the ends of the earth, among pansy specialists for the very best of their new strains.

Included are the ruffled types, the striped and mottled, the blotched as well as solid colors: the best of the German, French, Danish, English and American varieties. These are mixed together to make our Giant Exhibition.

Grown on good soil you may expect to obtain flowers three and even four inches across, in all, colors too varied and beautiful for words to describe. Pkt. 15c, 3 pkts. 40c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$3.50, oz. \$7.00.



Giant Exhibition Strain

**762 Giant Trimardeau** This is the popular medium priced large flowering type. They are of vigorous compact growth, and are grown in forty or more named varieties. Flowers are larger than our Bedding Mixture but not quite as free flowering. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50c, oz. \$2.75.

\*Mastodon Miracle Pansies.  
See No. 765 page 25.

**764 Pansy Violet** (Viola or Tufted Pansy). Very desirable, free flowering plants for hardy borders, combining the beauty and free blooming habit of the Pansy with the hardy character of the Violet. They will do well in shady places where the ground is usually bare, for instance under the shade of shrubs. The plants do not run out like the common Pansy. Flowers are not quite as large as Pansies, but produced in greatest profusion the entire season. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 40c.

### Rose Moss

For brilliant coloring, nothing can excel a bed of Portulaca, with its silky flowers glistening in the sunlight. It is very easily grown and no bedding plant equals the Portulaca for places exposed to the hot sun of midsummer. Very pretty edgings for beds of taller plants.

### Portulaca

### Sun Plant

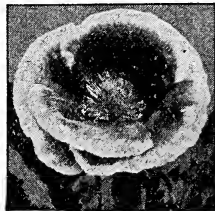
**772 Double** Comprising many brilliant colors. Seventy-five percent should produce perfectly double flowers resembling small, fully open roses. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 60c.

**773 Single** Unsurpassed for carpet bedding where a brilliant effect is desired. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 20c, oz. 75c.

**774 Paris Beauty** Larger flowered than the old fashioned, and one of the brightest, showiest low border flowers in existence. Colored with the gayest purple dress, the flowers are formed like dainty single roses. Pkt. 15c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 60c.



Double Portulaca



Shirley Poppy



Buttercup Poppy



Double and Single Poppies

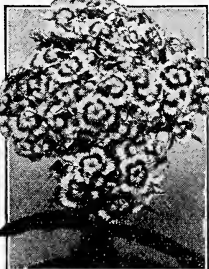
### Plant Poppies

**781 Double and Single Mixed** For a brilliant dazzling effect plant lots of Poppies. Sow the seed very early in the spring, where they are to bloom, as they cannot be transplanted. Pkt. 5c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 15c, oz. 40c.

**600 Golden Buttercup** Hunnemanna. Imagine great long stemmed buttercups over attractive lacy foliage and you have a picture of this poppy, the only poppy suitable for cutting. They bloom all summer and make such pretty bouquets that if you once try them you will want them always in your garden. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 25c.

**782 Shirley Silk or Ghost.** The effect of these new Poppies is what one would expect to see in a Chinese garden, where vivid, glistening—still artistic, harmonizing colors hold sway. Orange, orange scarlet, soft salmon, rose and pink shades are painted on petals as delicate as Chinese silk. Do not miss these beauties. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 20c.

**783 Eldorado** (New Double Shirley). The finest Poppy introduced in many years. The flowers burst out in the same brilliant shade as the singles—but last as cut flowers or in the garden much longer. Pkt. 10c.



Annual Sweet William

**784 "Flanders Fields"** The native single scarlet Poppy that covered the battlefields of France and Belgium. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 20c.

### 792 Schizanthus or Butterfly Flower

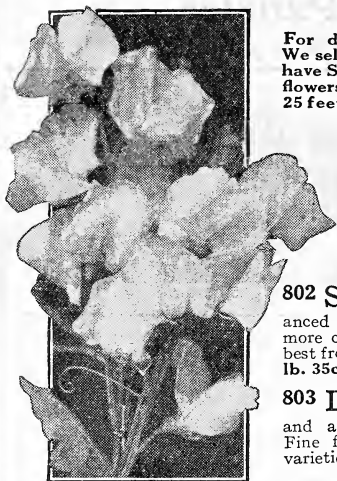
(Poor Man's Orchid). One of the most charming flowers for the garden in summer and for the house in winter. The plants are of compact branching growth  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 ft. high, covered with a multitude of small butterfly flowers of the most entrancing designs. Hardy annual. Pkt. 10c.

### 795 New Annual Sweet William

A valuable new annual blooming type of the popular Sweet William, originated by crossing the common Perennial variety with the Annual Japan Heddewigii Pink. The flowers are much larger and are produced in clusters throughout the summer and autumn. Many beautiful colors mixed. Pkt. 10c,  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 25c.

## Fragrant Sweet Peas

For distinctive beauty and exquisite fragrance the Sweet Pea has no rival. We sell more packets of Sweet Peas annually than any other flower. You can have Sweet Peas in your own garden just as fine as those of the florist. Pick the flowers frequently for abundant bloom. One ounce will plant a single row 25 feet long.



Spencer Sweet Peas

**801 Our Butterfly Spencer Mixture** Including a great many Choice Named Varieties of the Giant, Ruffled, Orchid-flowering type. The Spencer or Orchid-flowering type is now the most popular, because of the wonderfully large flowers, and beautifully frilled, or ruffled petals. Pkt. 10c, oz 25c, ¼ lb. 70c, lb. \$2.00.

\*Winter Flowering Spencers See No. 804 on page 25.

**802 Superb Grandiflora Mixture** (The Popular Old Fashioned Type). An extra fine, well-balanced mixture of the large-flowering type that is so popular everywhere. To insure a more complete mixture containing the greatest number of varieties, we combine the best from several different sources. Sure to please you. Pkt. 5c, ounce pkg. 15c, ¼ lb. 35c, lb. \$1.00.

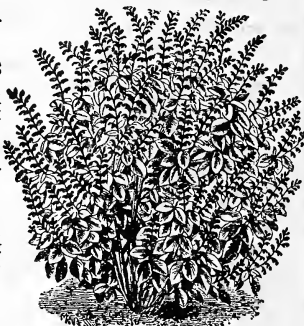
**803 Dwarf or Baby Cupid** An entirely distinct type, growing only 6 to 8 inches high, forming a dense mat of green, and a profusion of flowers in many colors. Fine for borders. Plant in front of the taller varieties. Pkt. 10c, oz. 20c.

### 820 Hardy Sweet Peas

(*Lathyrus Latifolius*). Perpetual blooming Sweet Peas, fine for covering old stumps, fences, etc. Perfectly hardy, increasing in beauty each year. Valuable for cutting. Pkt. 10c, ½ oz. 20c.

### 822 Scarlet Salvia

Of all fall-blooming annuals, Scarlet Sage is, without question, the richest and most impressive in color—a scorching scarlet of unsurpassed brilliancy. Pkt. 10c, 3 pkts. 25c, ½ oz. 50c.



Scarlet Salvia

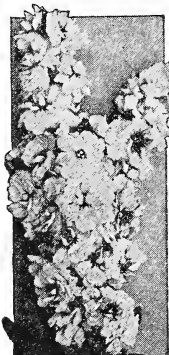
## New Sunflowers

**827 Red** Height 5 to 6 ft. Flowers 4 to 7 inches across. Rich shades of brown, red and yellow. Like an immense Gaillardia. Pkt. 10c.

**828 Double Chrysanthemum.** While many are single, a proportion of them will be fully double, like big chrysanthemums. Pkt. 10c.

**829 Stella** The best of the miniature type. A wealth of long stemmed golden yellow single flowers all summer. Fine for vases. Pkt. 10c.

## Ten Weeks Stocks

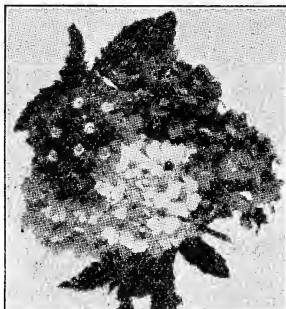


Stocks

**836 Large Flowering.** 10 weeks. The leading class for summer blooming in the garden. Beautiful, fragrant spikes of double flowers. Pkt. 10c.

### \*Blue Salvia

See No. 823 page 25.



Verbena

## 841 Verbenas

**Mammoth Flowering Mixed.** Very free-flowering annuals of low spreading growth, forming a carpet of bright colors when in bloom. Begin to bloom in July, and continue until killed by frost. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 35c.

## 848 Salpiglossis (Velvet Flower).

Most attractive annuals, large petunia-like flowers, in richest color display. Each flower veined with a glint of gold. Try a packet this year. Pkt. 10c.

## Zinnias Always Please

There is not another plant that does so well under any and all conditions. The brilliant flowers come all summer—almost bushels for cutting—and as many more left for garden display. The newer types hold a surprise in store for you.

\***Dahlia Flowered** See front cover and pages 3 and 25.

**860 Giant Mixed** Flowers like great big brilliantly painted balls—reds, yellows, whites, all colors. Greatly improved. Plants 2 feet tall. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 25c.

**861 Elegans Mixed** Produces excellent double flowers in a wide range of colors, and including many distinct types—Lilliputs, Pompons, Hybrids, etc. A great bargain. Pkt. 5c, ¼ oz. 15c.

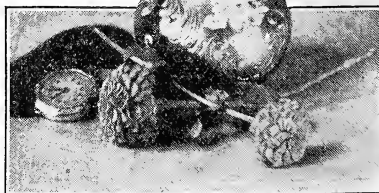
**862 Crested and Curled** Flowers large, the petals being twisted and curved into most graceful forms. The colors comprise all the brilliant shades of the Zinnias. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 20c.

**864 Red Riding Hood** This little gem grows but a foot high; of compact form and covered the entire season with little button-like intense scarlet, very double flowers not over an inch across; as a border it is highly effective. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 25c, oz. 75c.

**866 Mexican Star** The new Mexican Hybrids, in distinct colors. Mahogany reds, browns and golden yellow in many delightful combinations—some star shaped, some round like a ball. The plants are compact, bushy, about 1½ feet high. Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 35c.

Makes a Very Showy Border

Zinnia  
Red  
Riding  
Hood





# Beautiful Climbing Vines

Nothing adds more to the attractiveness of the home grounds than a well chosen selection of Climbing Vines. They grow rapidly and are indispensable for covering arbors, old fences and for hiding unsightly buildings. The following varieties, except Kudzu Vine, are annuals, all easily grown from seed. **FOR HARDY VINES, SEE PAGE 47.**



Canary Bird Flower

**901 Balloon Vine** (Love in a Puff). A rapid growing climbing vine, having pretty light green foliage, with inconspicuous flowers. The seed pods are like miniature balloons. Vines grow 8 to 10 feet high. **Pkt. 8c.**

**902 Canary Bird Flower** A pretty, rapid climbing vine. The charming little canary-yellow flowers reminding you of a canary bird with wings half extended. **Pkt. 8c.**

**903 Cardinal Climber** A distinct and valuable rapid climber with dark green, fern-like, deeply lacinated foliage, and clusters of fiery cardinal-red flowers 1½ inches in diameter. Likes sunny situation. **Pkt. 10c, ¼ oz. 40c.**

**904 Heavenly Blue** *Ipomea*, a trellis, arbor or doorway covered with this vine is one of the most beautiful sights imaginable. Bright sky blue flowers, almost as big as saucers, are freely borne on the rapidly climbing vines. Our strain blooms during August and all fall. **Pkt. 15c, ¼ oz. 30c.**



Cardinal Climber

## 905 Cobaea Scandens

A Mexican Vine of very rapid growth, growing 15 to 20 feet high. Must not be planted outside until weather is permanently warm. Cultural instructions on each packet. Sometimes called Climbing Foxglove. **Pkt. 10c.**

**906 Cypress Vine** Delicate fern-like foliage, and pretty star-like flowers. Very desirable for small trellises or wire supports. Scarlet and white mixed. Height, 6 to 8 feet. **Pkt. 8c.**

## 907 Climbing Foxglove

*Lophospermum*. A beautiful climbing vine from Mexico. The graceful flowers are of large size and resemble pink Foxgloves. Plant the seed when soil is warm. **Pkt. 10c.**

## 908 Hyacinth Bean (Dolichos)

Of extra rapid growth, making a dense and attractive screen, flowering freely in racemes or upright spikes not unlike Hyacinths. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c.**

**909 Moon Flower** Large dense foliage, climbing 20 to 30 feet. Immense pure white flowers 5 to 6 inches in diameter, opens in the evening. Do not plant the seed until the soil is warm. **Pkt. 10c.**



Balloon Vine



Common Morning Glory

## 915 Ornamental Gourds

Very interesting rapid climbing vines for covering old fences, etc. The fruits are of many shapes and colors, and always a delight to the children. Many small varieties mixed. **Pkt. 10c.**



Hyacinth Bean

## Four Fine Morning Glories

\*New Giant. See No. 918, page 25.

**919 Rochester Blue** A very pretty quick growing variety with bright blue flowers margined white. We know you will like it. **Pkt. 10c, oz. 30c.**

**911 Common Tall** Everybody should grow them. They thrive everywhere, climb rapidly, and bloom freely allsummer. A mixture of many colors. **Pkt. 5c, oz. 15c.**

**912 Japanese Imperial** Unquestionably the handsomest of all Morning Glories. Rapid climber, large foliage and immense flowers of rare beauty. **Pkt. 8c, oz. 20c.**

**920 MORNING GLORY COLLECTION**  
1 pkt. each of above 4 varieties for 30c.

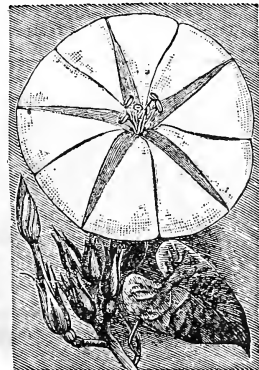
## 914 Japanese Kudzu Vine

(*Pueraria*) "Jack-and-the-Bean Stalk." The fastest growing hardy climbing vine in existence. Perfectly hardy everywhere. Will climb 50 feet or more in a season. **Pkt. 10c.**

## 910 Climbing Mixture

You surely get your money's worth, as it gives you about a dozen varieties for the price of one. **Try a pkt. 10c.**

Before planting large hard shelled seeds nick the hard shell with a knife or file and soak a few hours in warm water.



Moon Flower

**916 Thunbergia** (Black Eyed Susan). An elegant slender growing vine from Africa. Very attractive when grown on trellises, in vases, or trailing on the ground. Large single flowers, in white, yellow and orange, with distinct black eye. Bloom from July to October. **Pkt. 10c.**

## 917 Variegated Japanese Hop

(*Humulus*). A beautiful rapid climbing vine for verandas, arbors or screens. Foliage mottled green and yellow. Once planted the seed will come up each spring without replanting. Very easy culture. **Pkt. 10c.**

## 940 AN HONEST-TO-GOODNESS BARGAIN

One full packet each of above eighteen beautiful climbing vines, including the new varieties. Total value, \$1.75. All postpaid for \$1.50.

## Old-Fashioned Kinds

# Hardy Garden Perennials

## Pretty New Types Also

Our Grandmothers' Gardens always contained an assortment of these old garden favorites. The following list contains about all of the popular easy-growing varieties. Why not start a hardy garden this year?



Double English Daisy

- 955 Burbank's Shasta Daisy** Strong, vigorous growing hardy perennials, forming large clumps of bright, green foliage and a profusion of large white single flowers on long stems. Flowers 3 to 4 inches across, with large yellow disc. Bloom freely in July and August. **Pkt. 10c.**

**Delphinium, Hardy Larkspur** One of our most popular and desirable hardy perennials, producing immense spikes in various shades of blue, from July until killed by frost. Valuable for cutting. We list two strains, viz.:

- 956 Belladonna.** Large spikes of beautiful clear turquoise-blue flowers that always attract attention. Bloom continually from July to frost. **Pkt. 15c.**

- 950 Bellamosum.** Has the same beautiful form as Belladonna but is rich, deep blue in color. **Pkt. 15c.**  
\*Gold Medal Hybrids. See No. 957 on page 24.

- 958 Digitalis or Foxglove** Tall, stately spikes of flowers in white, pink, rose and mottled. Valuable for the background in the hardy border. Of easy culture, blooming the second year from seed. **Pkt. 8c.**

- 959 Hardy Gaillardia (Grandiflora).** These long stemmed beauties, in shades of yellow and red, are very attractive when in bloom from July to October; very easily grown. **Pkt. 10c.**

- 960 Hardy Baby's Breath (Gypsophila).** Immense panicles of delicate white gauze-like flowers from June to August. Very desirable for mixing with other cut flowers. Perfectly hardy and easily grown. **Pkt. 10c.**

- 961 Giant Mallow Marvels (Hibiscus).** Forms large clumps, 4 to 5 feet high, with immense single flowers, 6 to 8 inches across. Perfectly hardy, easily grown from seed. A mixture of white, pink and crimson. **Pkt. 10c.**

**How to Grow Perennials.** The booklet "Better Gardens" free with \$2.00 orders gives directions.



Myosotis or Forget-Me-Not

- 951 Aquilegia or Columbine** Splendid hardy perennials, with graceful spurred flowers in many colors. Choice mixed varieties, including the new long spurred hybrids. Will succeed in shady places. **Pkt. 5c.**

- 952 Campanula or Canterbury Bell** Grand old-fashioned hardy flowers of easy culture, and one of the most attractive seeds planted this year. Will grow into large plants that will bloom freely next year. **Pkt. 5c.**

- 953 Coreopsis Lanceolata** Large single golden yellow fringed flowers, on long wiry stems, fine for cutting. Bloom profusely in July and August. Perfectly hardy. **Pkt. 10c.**

- 954 Double English Daisies (Bellis Perennis).** Low growing early spring flowering perennials, indispensable for cool shady places. Seed started early in boxes should bloom the first year. Finest mixed varieties, including the large double Longfellow. Culture same as Pansies. **Pkt. 10c. ¼ oz. 50c.**



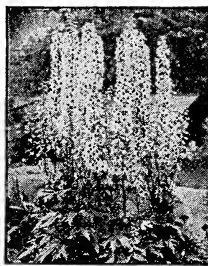
Burbank's Shasta Daisies

- 962 Double Hollyhock**

Magnificent, tall, stately plants, with immense spikes of perfectly double flowers in pink, white, crimson, yellow, etc. Very effective for background planting in the hardy border. **Pkt. 10c.**

- 963 Single Hollyhocks**

Many consider the single, large flowering varieties fully as beautiful as the double. We offer an exceptionally fine strain, sure to please you. **Pkt. 10c.**



Delphinium, Belladonna

- 964 Myosotis or Forget-Me-Not**

The hardy Forget-me-not delights in a moist, shady location. The pretty delicate blue flowers are freely produced in June and July. One of our most satisfactory hardy perennials for shady places. **Pkt. 8c.**

- 965 Oriental Poppy** For gorgeous display the Oriental Poppy has few rivals. Immense single glowing orange scarlet flowers with black blotch at base of petals. **Pkt. 10c.**

- 966 Hardy Garden Pinks**

Scotch, or Clove Pinks. Every garden should contain a few clumps of these old-fashioned favorites. Perfectly hardy and easily grown. **Pkt. 5c.**



Digitalis or Foxglove

- 967 Stokesia (Stokes Aster)—Cyanea.** A splendid perennial for garden culture. Pretty in beds or borders. Its ease of cultivation makes it very popular. Blooms first year from seed. Showy deep lavender blue, aster-like flowers, produced in clustered heads June till late fall. **Pkt. 10c.**

- 968 Sweet William** Well-known, old-fashioned, hardy perennials of very easy culture. Splendid for the hardy border and for massing. A gorgeous display when in bloom, comprising many brilliant colors. It is most satisfactory to grow young vigorous plants each year, and destroy the old plants after blooming. **Pkt. 8c.**

- 969 Popular Old-Fashioned Hardy Collection** Why not have an old-fashioned garden, such as we used to admire at our Grandmothers' home? To help you start right we will supply one packet each of the above 19 varieties, worth \$1.89 for \$1.50.



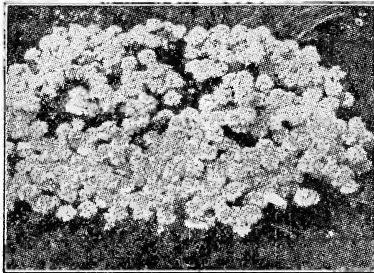
Double  
Hollyhocks

## Some New Perennials

**971 Aquilegia, Long Spurred Hybrids** A selection of the finest long spurred Columbines including the famous strain known as Mrs. Scott Elliotts, which has received many honors wherever exhibited. Many rare and pleasing color shades and combinations, beautiful in cut flower bouquets or grouped in the garden border. Pkt. 20c.

**972 Hardy Chrysanthemums** An exceptional mixture of these favorite fall flowers richly dressed in colors of crimson, pink, yellow, orange, all the intermediate shades and pure white. You will have mostly single flowers, but many double and semi-double, some with plain petals, others recurved and twisted in beautiful array. You will certainly be delighted with them. Pkt. 25c, 2 pkts. 40c.

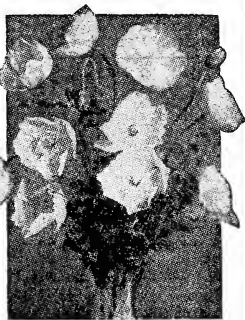
**973 Chinese Lantern Plant** *Physalis Franchetti*. In the fall balloon like husks of bright scarlet form on the plants. As they hang on the stems they resemble Chinese Lanterns. You can pick these and have them for indoor bouquets throughout the winter—as they preserve themselves very nicely when dried. Pkt. 10c.



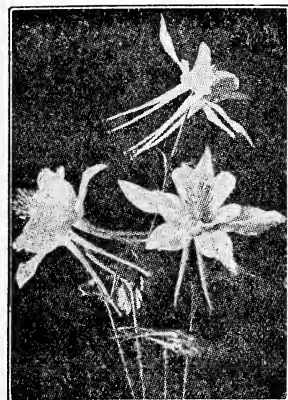
Hardy Candytuft

### 974 Hardy Candytuft

*Iberis Sempervirens*. One of the prettiest of the hardy low border plants. In April and May the low compact plants are covered with white flowers—resembling the annual Candytuft. Excellent for rock garden, naturalizing, or as a border to taller plants. It does well in sun or shade and on practically all soils. The foliage is evergreen. Pkt. 15c



Poppy, Sunbeam



Aquilegia, Long Spurred

### 975 Coral Bells

*Heuchera Sanquinea*. One of the garden's brightest flowers. The foliage lies close to the ground, but the flower stems reach up to 18 to 24 inches and are covered with the showiest bright coral red flowers. A very popular flower for cutting or garden decoration as it blooms in sun or partial shade. Pkt. 20c.

**976 Geum, Mrs. Bradshaw** Mrs. Bradshaw is considered the best of all Geums. The flowers are bright scarlet, double and about 1½ inches across. They are borne in clusters on stems 1½ ft. high, blooming throughout the summer. An excellent addition to your perennial border. Easy to grow, preferring moist soil and plenty of sun. Pkt. 20c.

**977 Poppy, Sunbeam** *Iceland*. The Sunbeam strain is the finest color mixture among the Iceland Poppies—ranging from white through straw color, yellow to orange and orange scarlet. The flowers average 2 to 2½ inches across and are like the finest silver crepe paper in texture. Keep the flowers from going to seed and they will bloom from early summer until fall frost. Early spring sown seed blooms the first year. Pkt. 15c, 2 for 25c.

**978 Everlasting Sweet William** This is the only Sweet William, and in fact the only bedding perennial that will bloom all summer. The plants are compact 12 to 15 inches tall and are covered with rich red flowers borne in clusters, like the old fashioned Sweet William. Plant as a border, in clumps or a bed like Geraniums. Pkt. 15c, 2 pkts. 25c.

## Special Purpose Seed Collections

### DO YOU LIKE BLUES?

Most everybody likes blue bouquets and clumps of blue flowers in the garden. By ordering the Blue Collection you save money over the cost of the packets bought separately.

#### 412 Perennial Cut Flower Collection 60c

The following perennials are long stemmed varieties that provide excellent cut flower bouquets in spring, summer and fall.

AQUILEGIA, MIXED.....5c  
BABY'S BREATH.....10c  
COREOPSIS.....10c  
DELPHINIUM  
BELLADONNA.....15c  
GAILLARDIA.....10c  
HARDY PINKS.....5c  
SHASTA DAISY.....10c  
CHINESE LANTERN  
PLANT.....10c

One pkt. each of the above 7 perennials for 60c. Regular value 75c. Absolutely no change can be made in the assortment.

These represent excellent values in assortments of most popular varieties.

#### 410 The Blue Garden \$1.00

Annuals all easy to grow.

The blue shades are so popular now a days that we have made a special effort to provide you with extra choice strains of the bluest of the blue flowers.

Pkt.	Pkt.
Ageratum, Swanley Blue 10c	Petunia, Balcony Blue 10c
Swan River Daisy 10c	Blue Salvia 15c
Larkspur, Royal Blue 10c	Ipomea, Heavenly Blue 15c
Love-in-a Mist 10c	Lobelia, Crystal 15c
Scabiosa, Azure Fairy 10c	Palace 15c
Blue Lac Flower 15c	Double Blue Bachelor 10c
Lavender Daisy 10c	Button 10c

The collection of one each of the above 12 pkts. regular value \$1.40 for \$1.00. Absolutely no change can be made in the assortment.

#### 411 Yellow and Gold 40c

Annual Collection

The Yellow and Gold Shades make beautiful bouquets used alone or with blues.

Pkt.	Pkt.
Calliopis, Mixed 8c	Marigold, Tall Mixed 5c
Calendula, Mixed 5c	Buttercup Poppy 10c
Golden African Daisy 10c	Sunflower, Stella 10c

Special Collection Price, 40c  
No change can be made.

### YOUR PORCH BOX

It is an easy matter to grow many of your porch and window plants yourself. The collection of seed will give plants enough for many boxes and hanging baskets.

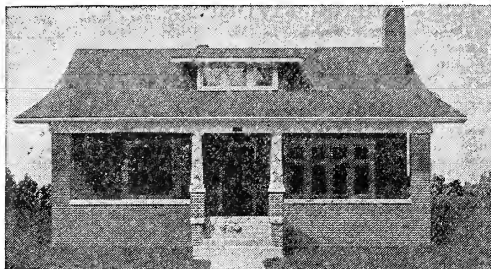
#### 413 Porch Box Annual Collection 65c

These varieties are all suitable for porch or window boxes or hanging baskets.

ALYSSUM, LITTLE GEM 5c  
LOBELIA  
CRYSTAL PALACE...15c  
NASTURTIUM  
TOM POUNCE.....10c  
BORDER OF GOLD  
TAGETES.....10c  
PETUNIA, ROSY MORN.10c  
PETUNIA, BALCONY  
BLUE.....10c  
VERBENA.....10c  
THUNBERGIA  
BLACK EYED SUSAN.10c

One pkt. each of the above 8 varieties for 65c. Regular value 80c. Absolutely no change can be made in the assortment.

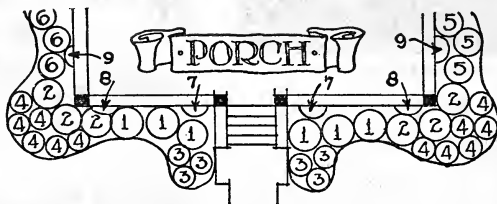
# It's Not a Home 'til It's Planted



## Plan A

Isn't this an attractive arrangement for the low bungalow type of residence?

No. 1	— 6 SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI	\$2.10
2	— 6 IBOTA PRIVET	1.20
3	— 6 JAPANESE BARBERRY	1.20
4	— 12 SNOWBERRY	4.00
5	— 3 WEIGELIA, ROSEA	1.20
6	— 3 FORSYTHIA, GOLDEN BELLS	1.00
7	— 2 VINES, DUTCHMAN'S PIPE	.75
8	— 2 CLEMATIS PANICULATA	.75
9	— 2 PERKINS ROSES, Red and White	.80
42 plants, 2 yr. 18-24 and 2-3 feet		\$13.00
42 plants, 1 yr. size 12 to 18 inch		6.50



This plan gives you a wide variety of shrubs in a small space.

## Special Plant and Bulb Collections

To make it easier for our friends that want moderate priced selections of bulbs and plants that would fit in the average garden we suggest the following. We have borne in mind relative popularity of varieties, ease of culture, and long periods of bloom. Because we prepare ahead and handle the collections in large volume we can save you money on their cost. You will understand of course that we cannot make any changes on assortments as listed.

### 1662 Perennial Plant Collection \$2.75

These may be planted in a border already established or be used as the basis of a new border planting. Plant them in groups, each variety by itself. The varieties chosen will give you flowers from early spring until late fall.

1 Set (6 plants) GERMAN IRIS	70 cts
4 plants SHASTA DAISY	50 cts
3 plants ASSORTED DELPHINIUM	50 cts
3 plants AQUILEGIA	40 cts
1 set (3 plants) HARDY ASTERS	40 cts
1 set (4 plants) DOUBLE HOLLYHOCKS	60 cts

23 plants in all, regular price \$3.10.

The Collection as listed above (no change can be made) at a special price of \$2.75.

## For the Rose Lover

### 1664 Collection of All Roses \$10.00

This is a real bargain for the rose lover, it will enable you to try out so many varieties at such a moderate price. When you see all these roses in bloom you will say to yourself "I'm certainly glad I bought that Rose Collection from Templin-Bradley."

1 set (6 plants) HYBRID TEAS	\$ 4.00
1 set (7 plants) HYBRID TEAS	1.00
1 plant BABY RAMBLER	.40
1 plant ROSA RUGOSA RUBRA	.40
1 set (4 plants) H. P. ROSES	2.00
1 set (4 plants) CLIMBING ROSES	1.50
1 set (3 plants) PERKINS ROSES	.75
1 plant CLIMBING ROSE, Mary Wallace	.85
1 plant CLIMBING ROSE, PAUL'S SCARLET	.50

28 roses in all, regular value \$11.40

The Grand Rose Collection as listed above at a special price of \$10.00, making your roses cost you only about 35c each, which is a mighty good bargain.

### 1666 Flowering Shrubs and Roses \$2.50

The shrubs are chosen so that you can get flowers early, midsummer and late. You can plant the shrubs in one group if desired or scatter them in your foundation or border planting.

1 DOUBLE ALTHEA, White	20 cts
1 FORSYTHIA	20 cts
1 HYDRANGEA, P. G.	25 cts
1 BUSH HONEYSUCKLE	20 cts
1 SPIREA, VAN HOUTTEI	20 cts
1 CORAL BERRY	20 cts
1 H. T. ROSE, GRUSS AN TEPLITZ	75 cts
1 H. P. ROSE, FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI	60 cts
1 CLIMBING ROSE, EXCELSA	30 cts

9 plants in all, regular value, \$2.90

The Collection as listed above (no change can be made) at a special price of \$2.50.

### 1665 Small Fruit Collection \$2.00

Even though your space is limited do not go without fresh berries from your own garden. They are much more delicious than those you buy. This collection is made up with the idea of giving you a taste of each variety and certainly will be well worth the space occupied.

25 plants, EARLY STRAWBERRY, GIBSON 50 cts

12 plants, EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY, PROGRESSIVE 50 cts

6 plants, RED RASPBERRY, EARLY KING 45 cts

6 plants, BL. RASPBERRY, CUMBERLAND 45 cts

6 plants, BLACKBERRY, ELDERADO 50 cts

55 plants in all, regular price, \$2.40

The Collection as listed above (no change can be made) at a special price of \$2.00.

### 1663 Flowering Bulb Collection \$3.00

These varieties will provide you bountifully with cut flowers and with outdoor display as well. The Cannas and Caladiums can be grouped together in a foundation planting for very nice effect, the Cannas in the rear and the Caladiums in the front.

6 CANNAS, Crimson Bedder	65 cts
4 CALADIUMS, Elephants Ear	70 cts
6 TUBEROSES, Excelsior	40 cts
2 1/2 doz. GLADIOLUS, Mixed	\$1.12
6 (1 set) DAHLIAS, Combination A	75 cts
52 bulbs in all, regular value	\$3.52

The Collection as listed above (no change can be made) at a special price of \$3.00.



# The More Permanent Things for Your Garden

## From Our Bulb & Shrub Department

The things you will wish to plant for a lasting effect in your garden are the bulbs, shrubs, roots, vines, roses and small fruits offered on the following pages. The following facts concerning the different kinds of stock, the different methods of handling all of it and the information available for those of you who wish it, will be found most interesting.

**Dormant Not Dead** Every item (excepting only the set of Pot Grown H. T. Roses, No. 1511 on Rose page), is in a dormant condition. It is due to their ability to "sleep" over each winter that they are of really permanent worth to you. They lose their foliage in winter, just as the Maple and Elm trees do. Some of them, like gladioli, dahlias and cannas, must be taken indoors in the winter and stored in the cellar. Others, like vines, roses, shrubs and small fruits may be left outdoors, only the roses needing some protection.

**Separate Departments** Because all of this stock is of a different nature from seeds, we have to handle it in an entirely separate department. That is also the reason they require different packing and weather conditions, to insure delivery to you in first class shape. Gladioli, dahlias and cannas must be kept dry and can not be permitted to freeze, even while in mail and express cars. On the other hand, shrubs, vines, roses, roots and small fruits must be packed with damp moss about the tender little roots (which can easily be seen in the small picture below).

**At Planting Time** To those who are not familiar with these details, this explanation is made in order that you will not wonder why we fill your

seed order shortly after received, regardless of the weather, while your shrub and bulb order will not be filled until weather conditions all over the country make it safe to ship and as near to planting time in your vicinity as possible. Our customers appreciate the fact that we are in most cases better equipped to keep the bulbs and shrubs in prime, dormant condition than they are, so are glad to have us handle their orders as we do. You will like it, too.

**Give Them Time** Remember, after planting, that all plants will not begin to show signs of development in the same length of time. This word of caution is added because now and then, people will write in to inform us that some of their plants have not begun to leaf out and they are afraid they are not alive. After waiting sufficiently long, they find the leaves begin to take shape and that their conclusion was made too hastily. So, be sure to give your newly planted stock plenty of time. You will be well repaid for your patience.

**Cultural Directions** Every order filled in our Bulb and Shrub Department, will have, packed with the goods, a pamphlet which tells you how to keep the plants until the ground is ready, how to prepare the soil and all necessary information to aid you in starting right. Of course, cultural directions are printed on every seed packet, too.

## Two Helpful Books for You

Beside the above cultural instructions, packed FREE with each order, we offer two valuable publications of our own. The first,

**391 "Better Gardens"** is a 64-page book of planting instructions, which will help you to obtain better results from the things you plant. Thousands of copies of this book are distributed to our customers each year. While the price is 25 cents per copy, we give it free with every order amounting to \$2.00 or more.

**392 "Planning & Planting the Home Grounds"** The second book will aid you in selecting just the right plants for the most pleasing effects. This book is also 25 cents per copy but is free with each order amounting to \$3.00 or more. If you wish a copy to help you to decide what to plant and where to plant it, send us 25 cents. A Rebate Coupon good for that amount will be packed with the book, so you see it will really cost you nothing in the end, and surely will help you a great deal. We know that if you will follow this book in planting goods from this department about your home, you will increase the attractiveness of it many fold and even more important, you can actually increase the value by hundreds of dollars.

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Your Shrubs, Roses and Vines Will Be Dormant Like This

Your success and ours are very closely interwoven. A word of recommendation to your friends will be greatly appreciated.



A Corner of Our Own Nursery Where Much of This Stock Is Grown

# A MILLION GLADIOLUS BULBS

You Should Grow Gladioli This Year. These Prices Within the Reach of Everybody

Gladioli are the most useful of all summer flowering bulbs, and are becoming more and more popular each year as new varieties are being introduced. They are so easily grown, and at our prices so inexpensive, that every home garden should contain an assortment. Gladioli are one of our specialties. We now have in stock a million or more blooming size bulbs, all clean, healthy stock, ready to fill orders.



Mrs. Frank Pendleton

You can buy 25 or more of a kind at 100 Rates

**1024 Albion** Delicate soft salmon-rose pink. A new early variety of real merit. Each 8c, doz. 75c, 100 for \$4.00.

**1026 America** Unquestionably the most Popular Gladiolus in existence. Immense spikes, color peach-blossom pink. Each 6c, doz. 50c, 100 for \$2.50.

**1027 Baron Hulot** Very dark violet blue. Flowers medium size, on tall spikes. Entirely distinct in color. Each 10c, doz. \$1.00, 100 for \$5.00.

## 1023 Crystal White

Pure white with violet stripes on lower petals. Early. Very fine spike. Each 8c, doz. 75c, 100 \$3.50.

**1022 Czar Peter** Very dark crimson with lighter penciling on lower petal, very desirable. Each 8c, doz. 75c, 100 for \$4.00.

**1029 Halley** Extra early, large open delicate salmon-pink flowers. A very popular variety. Each 6c, doz. 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

**1032 Panama** A grand variety. Flowers and spike very large. Color lively pink. Sure to please you. Each 6c, doz. 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

**1010 Set of Above 12 each bulb named Only 75c**

**1011 Set of Above 16 each bulb named Only \$1.00**

## Four Splendid Gladioli

**1015 Alice Tiplady** A beautiful blending of apricot and orange. Entirely distinct from all other Gladioli. Sure to attract attention. Each 15c, 4 for 50c, doz. \$1.25.

**1004 Gretchen Zang** Large distinct sparkling flowers. Soft melting shades of pink blending into scarlet on lower petals. Each 10c, doz. \$1.00.

**1005 Herada** Immense flowers on tall straight spikes. Color pure mauve, with deeper shadings in throat, and white stripe on midribs of petals. Entirely distinct from all others in color. Always attracts attention. Each 10c, doz. \$1.00.

**1031 Mrs. Frank Pendleton** By many considered the most beautiful variety. Peach-blossom pink, heavily blotched blood red. Highest award of American Gladiolus Society. Each 8c, doz. 75c.

**1002 ABOVE SET OF FOUR FOR 35c.**

## Twelve of the Most Popular Named Gladioli



**1021 Pink Pearl** Delicate pink shading lighter toward center of petals. Lower petals delicately penciled. Each 8c, doz. 75c, 100 for \$4.00.

**1035 Princepine** A beautiful distinct variety, color dazzling scarlet with large snow-white blotches on lower petals. Each 6c, 12 for 60c, 100 for \$3.00.

## 1036 Queen Esther

White ground, heavily streaked, flaked and splashed with bright rose purple. Lower petals blotched and streaked amaranth. Distinct in coloring; very early. Each 10c, doz. 75c, 100 for \$4.00.

## 1037 Schwaben

The largest and strongest growing yellow Gladiolus. Flowers large, pure canary yellow, shading yellow. Lower petals marked with purples. Each 10c, 3 for 25c, 12 for 90c, 100 for \$4.00.

**1007 Wilbrink** A sport from the popular Halley. Flowers large, extra early, color a distinct shade of creamy pink. One of the earliest. Each 6c, doz. 50c, 100 for \$3.00.

25 bulbs or more of a kind at hundred rates.



Schwaben The best yellow

## Superfine Mixed Gladiolus Bulbs

To those who want a choice assortment of Gladioli, at a nominal expense, and do not care for the named varieties, we recommend our Superfine Mixture, which we sell by the hundred thousands. This mixture is made up from the above and many other varieties which we grow under name. Also Groff's Hybrids, Lemoinet, Nancianus, Primulinus Hybrids, etc., which we grow in separate mixtures. A combined mixture that we do not hesitate to recommend. More than half of the Gladioli we sold last year were of this superfine Mixture.

**1045 Large Size** In size from 1½ to 1½ inch and up in diameter, every bulb guaranteed to produce a fine large spike of flowers this year. 12 for 45c, 50 for \$1.50, 100 for \$2.75, 500 for \$12.50, 1000 for \$22.50.

**1046 Medium Size** Size about ¾ to 1 inch in diameter. Healthy young bulbs, every one guaranteed to produce a nice spike, but not quite as large as the first size. 12 for 30c, 50 for \$1.00, 100 for \$1.75, 500 \$8.00, 1000 \$15.00.

## Note

Order No. 1045 in quantities of 100 to 1000. Plant at intervals from April to first of July, and you can have a continual supply of these grand flowers to decorate your home from July to October, at a nominal expense.

# Twelve Best New Gladioli

Among the many new varieties tested in our trial grounds we have selected the following twelve as being the most desirable of the recent introductions that we can offer at very reasonable prices.

**1014 Anna Eberius** A very rich and distinct wine purple. The flowers open large, and many of them at the same time—making a very impressive and brilliant spike of bloom. There is no other variety of quite this same shade of purple. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.75.

**1047 Chateau Thierry** Bright scarlet-red, with carmine stripes on creamy ground on lower petals. Enormous wide open flowers 4 to 6 inches across on fine large spikes. An excellent grower. Attracted unusual attention wherever exhibited last season. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.75.

**1048 Duchesse of York** Seedling of "Baron Jos. Hulot," also an improvement of same. Much larger flowers of a beautiful purple blue color. Erect stems, vigorous growth and firm substance of flower. Dr. F. E. Bennett's report of October 3, "Extra fine for a dark blue, throws out tall, erect stems, with blooms well placed." Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.00.

**1016 Golden Measure** This is the best recent introduction among the yellow varieties. It is golden yellow deep and rich in coloring, and very pure throughout. The individual flowers are large and the entire spike is long and well filled. The splendor of Golden Measure will certainly add brightness to your collection of Gladioli. Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.00.

**1049 Glory of Kennemerland** The only true rose colored Gladioli. Deep rose pink. Lower petals exhibit a pomegranate purple blotch on a creamy-yellow ground. An unusual and pleasing color combination. Very strong spike. Immense flowers 4-5 inches. Produces heavy foliage. Glory of Kennemerland is unsurpassed for forcing and is also a leader as a cut-flower. Each 15c, 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.10.

**1017 Liebesfeuer** LOVE'S FIRE. This is a showy flower, a bright snappy scarlet that fairly dazzles. Some people think it is the best of all Red Gladioli. The flowers are large and the spikes so tall that in a mixed planting you would see it first. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.75.

**1018 Mrs. Dr. Norton** The general color effect is creamy white but on looking closely you find delicate markings that make a beautiful combination. Near the petal tips are shadings of pale Persian lilac, while the extreme petal tips are painted very pretty shade of rose. The buds as they open are the pink of the La France Rose. Each 15c, 4 for 50c, doz. \$1.25.

**1019 Orange Glory** Truly a glorious variety—not alone in its coloring but in the exquisite ruffling of the petals. They are soft and wavy. The color is charming, changing from flesh pink in the throat to coral and coral red at the petal tips, showing a distinct orange cast. If you are not familiar with the ruffled varieties by all means try Orange Glory. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.75.

**1050 Orange Prince** One of those rare colors among the Prims which have made them famous. Capucine orange slightly tinted deeper orange. Tall straight spikes. Many flowers open at one time. Bloom from early summer until late in fall. This large-flowering, vivid orange variety creates a sensation wherever shown. Each 15c, 3 for 35c, doz. \$1.25.

**1051 Radium** A beautiful Gladioli. La France pink tinted lighter. Lower petals have a scarlet red blotch on a creamy white ground. Very tall straight spike. The substance and arrangement of the blooms is excellent. One of the best of the recent introductions. Each 12c, 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.00.

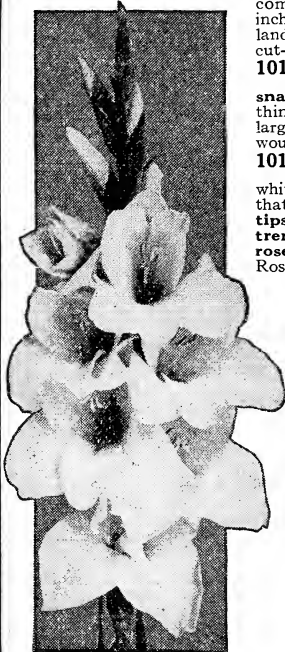
**1052 Souvenir** Pure golden yellow Primulus Grandiflorus. First class certificate, Haarlem. The most perfect flowering Gladioli of the purest golden yellow color. It grows and multiplies rapidly. Dr. F. E. Bennett states in his report, "We gave this variety a thorough test last summer and it was one of the most admired Primulus. No collection should be good without this fine yellow." Each 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.00.

**1053 Wolverine** Light coral pink mottled deeper pink with tyrian rose blotch on light yellow ground on lower petals. A beautiful, distinct, inexpensive variety, that deserves a place in every collection. Each 12c, 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.00.

**1054 Set of 12 Choice New Varieties, Retail Value \$2.24, for \$1.75.**



Glory of Kennemerland



Gladiolus, Golden Measure

## The Shrub That Blooms All Summer

**1354 Abelia Grandiflora or Bush Arbutus** White, delicately blushed pink flowers, like the familiar trailing Arbutus of our Northern Woods, cover the branches all summer and fall. Leaves glossy green. Plants 2 to 3 feet tall with gracefully arching branches.

**Not always hardy in the North.** It is best to lift the plants in the fall and store them in tubs in the cellar over winter. If you leave them outside over winter they should be well protected. The tops may be killed back but the plants will make top growth and bloom the following summer. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00.

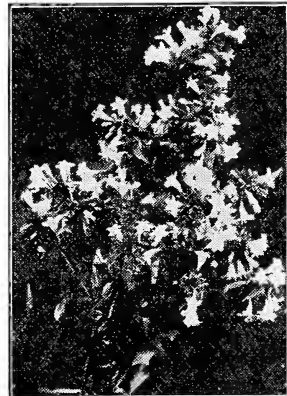
## Large Flowering Clematis

**1466 Jackmanii** The well known large flowering blue or purple Clematis. The beautiful flowers when fully open are 4 to 6 inches across. Color intense rich velvety purple. It blooms continually from July until frost. Strong well rooted plants 65c each.

**1467 Henryii** The largest and finest of all White Clematis. Flowers very large, creamy-white, with reddish chocolate centers. An early and continuous bloomer. Each 75c.

**1470 Maj. Ed. Andre** Sometimes called the Crimson Jackmanii. A strong, vigorous grower, and free bloomer, color distinct Crimson. Each 75c.

**1473 Set of Three Large Flowering Clematis for \$1.90.**



Abelia Grandiflora

# DAHLIA ROOTS

Dahlias are increasing in popularity very rapidly and the varieties listed below are calculated to please you. They are kinds that you can grow well and although not the highest priced will compare favorably with any that you find in the finest gardens.

## Cactus Dahlias



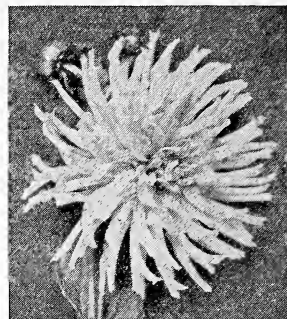
Peony Dahlia

**1066 Golden Gate** A mass of shimmering gold. This is one of the new hybrid cactus varieties. Inner petals artistically twisted and curved. Ea. 30c, 3 for 75c, doz. \$2.25.

**1070 Silver White** One of the best pure white Cactus Dahlias we have ever seen. The long quilled petals are extremely graceful and pleasing. Ea. 25c, 3 for 60c, doz. \$2.00.

**1071 Standard Bearer** Certainly capable of bearing the standard among red Cactus Dahlias. A bright scarlet that draws attention. A long stemmed beauty. Ea. 25c, 3 for 60c, doz. \$2.00.

**1072 Pink Pearl** Warm rosy pink with its long quilled petals tipped silvery white. Reminds one of a beautiful sea shell with its combination of pink and ivory. Ea. 30c, 3 for 75c, doz. \$2.25.



Cactus Dahlia

## Decorative Dahlias

**1085 Veronica** Certainly one of the finest new Decoratives. The golden yellow flower has petal tips irregularly dipped in reddish purple. The effect is quite fanciful. Ea. 35c, 3 for 90c, doz. \$2.50.

**1086 Blue Oban** A shade we venture you have never seen in Dahlias before. The ground color is salmon pink, but worked over that is a lavender blue cast that simply defies description. Oban gives many bouquets of long stemmed flowers. Ea. 30c, 3 for 75c, doz. \$2.25.

### 1082 Mrs. J. G. Cassatt

A clear lavender pink of good size, a soothing shade for the cut flower bouquet. Ea. 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.00.

**1087 Souvenir (de Gustav Doazon)** One of the largest Dahlias in existence, often 7 to 8 inches across. Color orange red like a big ball of fire. Ea. 30c, 3 for 75c, doz. \$2.25.

**1088 Grohakin** A monster purple flower 7 to 8 inches across. Of splendid form and texture. Neat dwarf compact plants. Ea. 35c, 3 for \$1.00, doz. \$2.50.

**1083 Jack Rose** This is still the best crimson decorative dahlia. There are none that flower so freely, and the color is the same that made the "Jack" Rose so popular. Ea. 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.50.

**1089 Snow Queen** A fine large pure white that you should make garden space for. Ea. 25c, 3 for 60c, doz. \$1.75.



Decorative Dahlia



Show or Ball Dahlia

## A Grand New Peony Dahlia

**1062 Sunrise** This might also be appropriately called Blushing Gold, the yellow of its petals being delicately pointed with rosy pink. The flower is large with great shaggy petals. The pink over gold produces a bronze effect which is exceedingly popular. The city florists sell very readily flowers of this beautiful shade. You will want Sunrise in your garden. Ea. 40c, 3 for \$1.00, doz. \$3.00.

## Show or Ball Dahlias

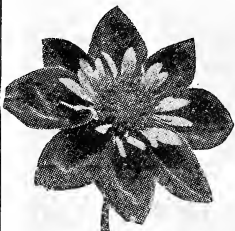
This type has flowers round as balls, each petal like its neighbor, closely curled yet soft and velvety in texture. The Shows bloom very freely, have long stems, and flowers that last well when cut.

**1102 Livoni** A very bright shell or lavender pink, rather changeable when viewed in different lights. Ea. 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$1.75.

**1103 Star of East** White as a snowball, round and perfectly formed. Ea. 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$1.75.

**1104 Arabella** Only nature could produce a color combination such as this, the flower is yellow, but seemingly worked right into the yellow is a shade of pink—the petal tips being primrose. Ea. 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$2.00.

**1105 Red Hussar** Rich cardinal red like a great red Zinnia. Very striking in a bouquet with white. Ea. 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.50.



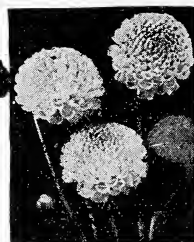
Collarette Dahlia

## 1112 Pompon, Little Buff

Another of the popular bronze shades to which people turn to in late Summer and Autumn. The little pompoms flower very freely and they lend themselves so readily to artistic arrangement that every garden should have at least a few plants. Imagine a long hedge row or border of this golden buff flower borne on well shaped compact plants. Ea. 25c, 3 for 60c, doz. \$1.50.

## 1122 Collarette, Maurice Rivoire

This new creation is the finest of the Collarette Dahlias, the illustration showing the graceful form of the flower. The large outer petals are rich velvety maroon, the collarette petals snowy with just a touch of pink. Ea. 25c, 3 for 65c, doz. \$1.80.



Pompon Dahlias

## Superfine Unnamed Dahlias

To those who wish a really choice assortment of Dahlias at a nominal cost, and do not wish to buy the named varieties, the three combinations offered below will give you the widest possible range of types and colors.

### 1135 Combination A

Contains one root each of peony, cactus, decorative, show, pompon and collarette types; not labeled. The 6 for 75c.

### 1136 Combination B

The same as A except that there are two distinct colors of each of the six types, not labeled. The 12 for \$1.40.

### 1137 Combination C

A general mixture of many types and colors, and we guarantee that you will be pleased. 12 roots for \$1.00.

# LARGE FLOWERING CANNAS

For beds on the lawn, where a tropical effect is desired, we know of no plant so satisfactory. They keep the yard and lawn ablaze with color. There are a hundred or more varieties in cultivation. We have selected just a few of the best and most distinct types and colors. We handle them only in dormant roots, which may easily be started in a box in a warm room, or in a hot bed. All have green foliage except number 1153 which is bronze.

## Four Best Cannas

The following four Cannas are generally considered the best in existence.



King Humbert Canna

**1151 The President** The most sensational, largest flowering red canna to date. The immense rounded flowers 6 to 7 inches across in mammoth clusters on upright stalks, are of the most intense penetrating fiery-scarlet. Great borders of this variety surrounding the Capitol at Washington last season attracted much attention.

Each 25c, doz. \$2.00, 100 for \$12.00.

**1152 City of Portland** A grand new Canna. Magnificent heads of perfectly formed flowers. Color, bright, rosy, salmon-pink. The best pink to date. 4 ft. Each 20c, 12 for \$2.00.

**1153 King Humbert** This wonderful Canna is the attraction wherever grown. Dark bronze foliage and immense, bright orange-scarlet flowers. Height 4 feet. Each 15c, 12 for \$1.50.

**1154 Queen Helen** A sport from King Humbert, having plain green foliage and enormous flowers. Color, golden yellow, dotted and blotched bright-red. Height 4 feet. Each 15c, 12 for \$1.50.

**1155 Set of Four Best Cannas for 65c**



Queen Helen Canna

## Six Popular Large Flowering Bedding Cannas

**1160 Allemania** Extra large. Orchid-flowering, bright scarlet with broad irregular golden yellow border, dotted and mottled with red. Height 5 feet. Each 12c, 12 for \$1.25.

**1161 Crimson Bedder** Height 3½ feet. Green foliage. Compact habit. Large trusses of intense crimson flowers. One of the best. Largely used for bedding. Each 12c, 12 for \$1.25.

**1162 Florence Vaughan** Height 4½ feet. An excellent bedder, having particularly fine green foliage and large golden yellow flowers, freely dotted with crimson. Each 12c, 12 for \$1.25.

**1166 Set of 6 Bedding Cannas labeled for 60c**

**1163 Golden Gate** Height 4 feet. The flowers open golden yellow, but soon become richly rayed with orange-crimson and apricot, centering to the throat. Each 12c, 12 for \$1.25.

**1164 Madam Crozy** The gilt-edge Canna. Height 3½ feet. Immense trusses of brilliant vermillion scarlet with narrow edge of golden yellow. Very popular. Each 12c, 12 for \$1.25.

**1165 Venus** An exceedingly beautiful Canna. Color, warm, rosy-pink, edged with creamy-yellow. Large trusses of well formed flowers, green foliage, height 4 feet. Each 12c, 12 for \$1.25.

**1167 Set of 6 not labeled for 50c. 12 for 90c**

## Miscellaneous Summer Flowering Bulbs

**Elephant's Ear, Caladium** One of the most effective tropical-like plants in cultivation for bordering Canna beds, or for planting singly or in masses on the lawn. Largely used in parks where their decorative value is appreciated. For best results, plant where they can be watered freely.

**1171 First size bulbs 20c each, 3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00**

**1176 Cinnamon Vine** Well-known hardy climber; quick grower, with beautiful glossy, heart-shaped leaves and sweet-scented flowers. Vines will run 25 to 40 feet in a season. Each 10c, 3 for 25c, doz. for 80c.

**1178 Hyacinth Candicans** Yucca-like foliage and tall spikes of pure white pendant, fragrant flowers in mid-summer. Perfectly hardy, of very easy culture. Height 3 to 4 feet. Each 10c, 3 for 25c, doz. for 80c.

**1180 Madeira Vine** One of the most satisfactory quick climbing vines for foliage effect, glossy green foliage, and feathery racemes of fragrant white flowers. Climbs 20 feet or more. Winter the tubers in cellar, like potatoes. Each 10c, 3 for 25c, doz. for 80c.

**1181 Montbretia** Pretty summer flowering bulb, like miniature Gladioli. Producing an abundance of orange-red flowers on stems 18 to 24 inches high. Culture same as Gladioli. Each 10c, 3 for 25c, doz. 75c.

**1182 Oxalis** (Summer Flowering "Shamrock"). These useful little plants are very effective in masses or beds and are particularly valuable for edgings. They produce an unbroken row of foliage about 1 foot high and continuous bloom. Mixed colors, red, white and pink. 12 for 15c, 50 for 50c.

## Double Dwarf Excelsior Pearl Tuberoses

No flower is more delightfully fragrant than the Tuberose. Of very easy culture. Plant the bulbs in May in the garden. Each bulb produces a spike of beautiful waxy-white flowers in August and September. Tuberoses succeed best in light sandy soil and full sunshine. Do not plant until the soil is permanently warm. For earlier flowers, start the bulbs in pots in a warm room and transplant in the garden in May.



Double Tuberose

**1186 Large first size blooming bulbs, 2 for 15c, 6 for 40c, 12 for 75c**



Elephant's Ear or Caladium



# HARDY HERBACEOUS ROOTS

No home is complete without a well-selected assortment of hardy roots. They require so little attention and increase in size and beauty from year to year. Everything listed on this page is perfectly hardy, and our prices will be found very reasonable when quality is considered.

There are a number of Hardy Biennials, including Campanulas, Digitalis or Foxgloves, Hollyhocks, etc., that we do not list here, for the reason that it will be much less expensive, and we believe more satisfactory for you to grow the plants from seed, which you will find listed on pages 34 and 35.

**1201 Hardy Aster** Michaelmas Daisy. These are among the showiest of our late-flowering hardy plants, producing an abundance of flowers during September and October, when most other hardy flowers are past. They grow freely in any soil, and require very little care. We offer them in three distinct colors, pure white, pink and lavender. Sold only in sets of three colors. The set for 40c.

**1206 Aquilegia** Columbine. The large, unique, long spur, red flowers, gracefully hung on tall stems, always attract attention. Perfectly hardy, increasing in size from year to year. We list only the New Long-Spurred Hybrids, in finest mixed colors. Each 15c, 3 for 40c.

**1212 Hardy Baby's Breath** Gypsophila. Immense panicles of pure white fine gauze-like flowers in July and August. Indispensable for bouquets with other flowers. If cut when first open, tied in bunches and hung in a dark closet, tops down, to dry, they make a beautiful winter bouquet in connection with Helichrysum and other straw flowers. Strong 2-year blooming roots 25c, 3 for 60c, doz. \$2.00.

**1215 Burbank's Shasta Daisy** An improved type of Hardy Chrysanthemum Maximum, having immense single glistening pure white flowers 3 to 4 inches across, on tall stems. A fine cut flower, and very showy in the garden. Hardy and of easy culture. Each 15c, 4 for 50c.



Hardy Aster



Hardy Chrysanthemums

## Old-Fashioned Hardy Chrysanthemums

The well-known autumn flowers of our grandmothers' gardens that produce such an abundance of beautiful flowers at a time when they are most appreciated. In the following we have selected varieties that have proven hardy in the North with slight protection.

**1781 Autumn Glow** American Beauty shade of rosy red. Medium large, perfectly double. A very profuse bloomer.

**1782 Golden Climax** Double golden yellow pompon. The flowers are like little gold nuggets and are borne in great profusion.

**1783 Indian Chief** Coppery red, shaded brilliant crimson. Very double and free bloomer. The best red.

**1784 Royal Pompon** Neat compact plants. Covered with small brilliant purple double flowers.

**1785 Victory** Popular pure snowy white, like a big double, white Aster. Very profuse bloomer. Fine for home or cemetery planting.

Price 15c each, dozen \$1.25.

**1786 Set of five varieties not labeled 60c.**

## Delphinium, Hardy Larkspur

**1221 Belladonna** The beautiful "Belladonna" with its large spikes of clear sky-blue flowers always attracts attention. They bloom continually from July to frost. Perfectly hardy everywhere. See illustration, which is from a photograph. Strong blooming roots. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.75.

**1222 Bellamosa** Similar to Belladonna except in color, being a rich, deep blue, with distinct large white center. Each 20c, 3 for 50c.

**1223 Gold Medal Hybrids** Vigorous, free blooming, with flower spikes 2 feet long. Grand assortment of colors, ranging from light blue to purple. Each 20c, 3 for 50c.

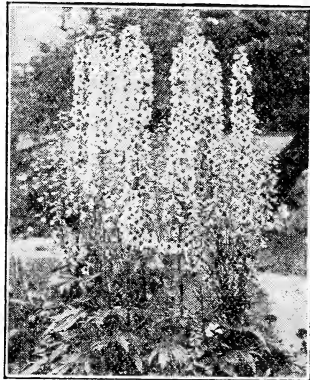
**1224 Set of 3 Varieties for 50c.**

**1217 Funkia** Undulata Variegata. Graceful leaves having crimped or fluted creamy white edges. Splendid for edging beds. Also very desirable as a pot plant during early spring. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.



Hemerocallis Lemon Lily

**1229 Golden Glow** Robust hardy plants, with handsome foliage, and tall flower stalks, carrying a multitude of perfectly double golden yellow flowers from July to September. Very desirable. Each 15c, 4 for 50c.



Hardy Larkspur Delphinium

**1232 Helianthus** (Hardy Sunflower). Quick growing hardy, herbaceous plants. Valuable for background planting. Usual height 4 to 5 feet. Large single golden yellow flowers in midsummer. Each 20c, 3 for 50c.

**1239 Hemerocallis** Lemon Lily. Popular hardy plants, that should be in every garden. Tall spikes of fragrant, lemon yellow flowers in June and July. Easily grown, requiring no care, and increasing in size and abundance of flowers each year. Each 15c, 5 for 50c.

**1230 Double Hollyhocks** One of the best hardy garden flowers. Make a charming hedge or background. We offer strong one year roots, that will bloom this year, in four separate colors—White, pink, crimson and yellow. Sold only in sets of four. Set of four colors not labeled 60c, 3 sets for \$1.50.

**1234 Heuchera** Sanguinea. ("Coral Bells.") A delightful small perennial, useful for low borders and cutting. The heart-shaped, purple tinged leaves appear in compact tufts, from which spring numerous slender red, stems, each weighted with tiny red bells. Each 20c, 3 for 50c.

## German or Flag Iris

*Iris Germanica. The Fleur-de-lis of France*

Very popular old-fashioned, hardy garden favorites, requiring little attention. Splendid for permanent borders along the driveway or edge of shrubbery. The prices are so low that you will want lots of them. We have selected six of the most distinct and desirable varieties as described below. We know of no plant more easily grown. Will furnish an abundance of flowers for Memorial Day.

- 1245 **Canary Bird** Very early. Self-colored pale canary yellow. Brown base. Each 15c, 3 for 40c, dozen for \$1.25.
- 1246 **Florentina Alba** Extra early, large, fragrant, pure white flowers, with lilac shadings. Ea. 12c, 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.00.
- 1247 **Queen of May** New, standard rose-pink, falls bright crimson with darker shadings. Each 15c, 3 for 40c, doz. for \$1.25.
- 1248 **Honorabilis** Standards golden yellow, falls richly veined mahogany. Each 12c, 3 for 30c, doz. for \$1.00.
- 1249 **Mme. Chereau** Large pure white flowers, irregularly bordered with light blue, very beautiful. Very free bloomer, vigorous grower, spikes 2½ to 3 feet. Each 15c, 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.25.
- 1250 **Parisensis** Extra early, large deep purple delicately penciled white. Very profuse bloomer. 12c each, 3 for 30c, doz. \$1.00.
- 1251 Set of 6 varieties, not labeled for 70c.



Butterfly or Rainbow Iris

## 1281 Siberian Iris

**Orientalis** By many considered the most delicate of all the hardy Iris. Forms large clumps with a multitude of tall stems of the most beautiful flowers of medium size. Blooming in June, between the German and Japanese varieties. The bright blue flowers are born on tall spikes, 18 to 24 inches. Price blooming roots 20c, 3 for 50c.



Siberian Iris

## 1296 Lily of the Valley

Universally admired for their dainty little pure white bell shaped flowers and exquisite fragrance. Easily grown, perfectly hardy everywhere, preferring a moist shady location. We have 50,000 fine Holland grown plants ready to fill your orders. 3 for 15c, 12 for 45c, 50 for \$1.50, 100 for \$2.75.

## Meehan's Mallow Marvels

The most valuable acquisition in hardy Herbaceous plants introduced in recent years. Forms large plants or clumps 5 to 6 feet high and 3 to 4 feet across, blooming profusely from July to late fall. Immense single flowers 6 to 8 inches across, in the most beautiful colors, from white through various shades of pink and red to brilliant crimson. We, however, cannot supply them in separate colors.

1297 Strong 1 year blooming size 15c, 4 for 50c.

## European Meadow Sweet

- 1244 **Ulmaria or Filpendula** One of the most useful hardy Perennial Plants, having pretty fern-like foliage, and clusters of pure white flowers on stems 15 to 20 inches high, in June and July. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.75.

## 1301 Platycodon Chinese Bell Flower

A splendid hardy perennial, having tuberous roots and forming bushes 2 feet high, with a profusion of pretty five petaled bell-shaped, star-like flowers, 1½ to 2 inches across. The flower buds before opening resemble small balloons, hence the name. A desirable plant, of nominal cost, that should be in every garden. Two colors, pure white and dark blue, not labeled, for 30c, 3 of each color (6 plants) 75c.



Meehan's Mallow Marvel



Lily of the Valley

- 1306 **Hardy Everlasting Sweet Peas** (*Lathyrus Latifolius*). Hardy perpetual blooming Sweet Peas, fine for covering old stumps, fences, etc. They are perfectly hardy, increasing in beauty each year. Valuable for cutting. Three colors—White Pearl, Pink Beauty and Splendens Red. Strong roots. Set of three, one of each, not labeled, for 35c, 3 sets \$1.00.

## Hardy Phloxes

No class of hardy plants is more desirable than the Hardy Phloxes. They will thrive in any position and can be used to advantage as a border, planted in large clumps on the lawn, or planted in groups of shrubbery, as they will be a mass of bloom the entire season. The following list comprises the most desirable varieties:

- 1741 **Athis** Tall, vigorous habit. Large spikes of clear salmon pink flowers.
- 1742 **Bridesmaid** White, with crimson eye. Very fine trusses. One of the best. Dwarf.
- 1743 **Eclairer** Brilliant, rosy magenta, with lighter halo. A fine profuse blooming variety. Tall.
- 1744 **Mrs. Chas. Dorr** A new tall growing variety with extra large spikes of unique, attractive solid blue-mauve.
- 1745 **Mrs. Wm. Jenkins** An early and free bloomer, one of the best tall varieties. Flowers very large, pure white.
- 1746 **Seibold** Probably the best orange-scarlet, being a strong grower and free bloomer.
- 1748 **Sir Edwin Landseer** Bright, glowing crimson. The best red. Of robust, tall growth, and a free bloomer.
- Price field grown roots, 20c, 6 for \$1.00.
- 1749 Set of above seven for \$1.15.



Bridesmaid

# BEAUTIFUL CHINESE PEONIES

First of all in the list of hardy plants for size and beauty. As hardy as an oak, forming large clumps or bushes. Should be in every garden in the land. No matter how rich or poor you are, you cannot buy better varieties.

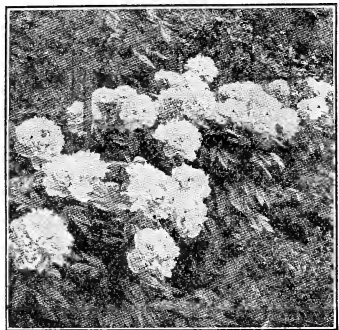
There are hundreds of named varieties and the list is still growing. It is useless to try to keep up with the procession. We have before us a peony specialist's catalog listing more than three hundred varieties. We believe our patrons will appreciate our efforts in selecting just a few that are conceded to be the very best.

## 1315 Duchess de Nemours

Medium early, vigorous grower and wonderfully profuse bloomer. Color pure white with sulphur shadings, gradually changing to pure snow white. In all Peonies there is none more beautiful than this in the half open state. Upright branching habit. A splendid Peony. Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00, doz. for \$3.75.

## 1316 Edulis Superba

This might be called the Decoration Day Peony, as it never fails to be in bloom on May 30th. Large, shaggy, flat crowns, often 6 to 7 inches across. Color bright mauve pink, with silvery reflex. More largely grown for early cut flowers than any other variety. Each 45c, 3 for \$1.25, doz. for \$4.50.

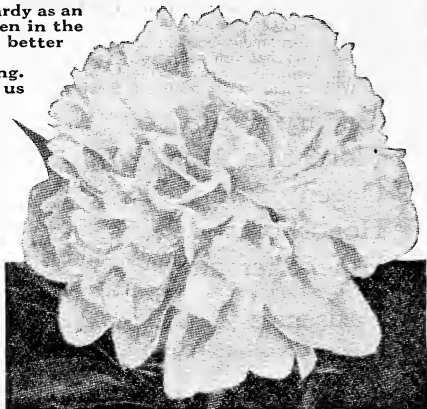


Clump of Festiva Maxima Peonies

borne on compact spikes 3 to 4 feet high. cutting. Succeed in any ordinary good garden soil. Bloom throughout the South, but require protection in North. Easily wintered over if buried in sand in cool cellar. Each 30c, 3 for 75c, doz. \$2.75.

## 1338 Yucca Filamentosa

(Adam's Needle). A tropical-looking plant; long, narrow leaves that remain green the entire year. Tall stem in summer three or four feet high, bearing large spikes of creamy-white, bell-shaped flowers that retain their beauty for a long time. 2 year roots 20c each, 3 for 50c, doz. for \$1.75.



Duchess de Nemours Peony

## 1317 Felix Crousse

Generally considered the best red Peony in existence. Its large, globular, compactly built flowers are a rich, even, brilliant, dazzling ruby-red, free from the objectionable violet or purple shades. Medium or mid-season. A better red has not yet been discovered. Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00, doz. for \$6.00.

## 1318 Festiva Maxima

For seventy years this has stood at the head of the list of White Peonies, by some considered the Queen of all Peonies. It combines enormous size with wondrous beauty. Often 7 to 8 inches across. Color pure snow white with an occasional clear carmine marking in center. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25, doz. \$4.75.

1320 Set of Above 4 Peonies for \$1.85.

## 1336 Tritoma Pfitzeri

(Red-hot Poker, Flame Flower or Torch Lily.) (The Ever Blooming Flame Flower). Very handsome and showy plants for the border. Flowers Always attract attention. Will keep a week or more after cutting. Bloom continually from July to October. Color rich orange scarlet. Hardy throughout the South, but require protection in North. Easily wintered over if buried in sand in cool cellar. Each 30c, 3 for 75c, doz. \$2.75.



Tritoma Pfitzeri

# HARDY GARDEN LILIES

These are among the most important and desirable bulbs for the garden. They are stately and beautiful, matchless in form, variety of color and exquisite fragrance.

## 1340 New Chinese Regal Lily

(L. Myriophyllum). This beautiful new lily comes from North-western China, which is a guarantee of its hardiness. Bailey's Cyclopaedia of Horticulture says of it: "One of the most beautiful of all known lilies." The exquisite blending of tints and colors forming a charming contrast with the rich, deep green foliage. Highly recommended for general culture. The large trumpet-shaped fragrant flowers are pure transparent white, with a distinct rich canary-yellow throat and orange stamens. The buds and outside of petals are delicate pink, which is often reflected through the petals. Height 3 to 4 feet; mature bulbs producing 5 to 10 flowers in June and July. These bulbs not so large as other lilies. 2 year good sized blooming bulbs each 50c, 3 for \$1.25.

## 1341 Lilium Auratum

(The Gold Banded Lily of Japan). Excellent for cut flowers, blooming in July and August. Flowers pure white, background dotted with crimson spots, while through the center of each petal runs a golden band. Flowers immense, sometimes six inches across, of delicious fragrance. Plant grows 3 to 5 feet tall and will bear up to 20 flowers. Large bulbs, each 40c, 3 for \$1.10.

## 1342 L. Speciosum Album

Blooms in August and September and is one of the most popular grown. The petals are recurved and twisted in beautiful form, pure white and delicately perfumed. 3 to 4 feet. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10.

## 1343 L. Speciosum Rubrum

This is one of the joys of August; ruby spots informally distributed over a broad expanse of white. Many consider this the most beautiful of all lilies. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10.

## 1344 L. Superbum

(American Turks Cap Lily). A beautiful native variety attaining a height of 4 to 6 ft. and producing as many as 15 to 20 bright reddish-orange, spotted flowers. Each 25c, 3 for 60c.

## 1345 L. Tigrinum Flora Plena

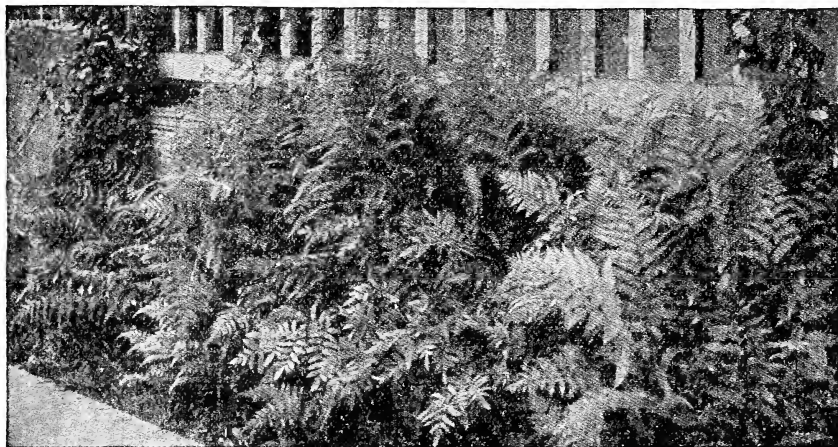
(The Double Tiger Lily). A very stately plant, 4 to 5 feet high bears an immense number of light orange red flowers spotted black. Blooms in July. Each 30c, 3 for 80c.

1349 Set of 6 Hardy Garden Lilies \$2.25.



Hardy Lilies

# HARDY NATIVE FERNS



Hardy Native Ferns are rapidly growing in popularity as their value is becoming better known. They are easily grown, and so well adapted for shady locations where little else will succeed. There are usually nooks and corners around the home grounds where the sun seldom strikes, just the place for assorted clumps of Hardy Ferns. The above illustration is from an assorted planting in front of a north porch. Our plants come from northern New England where the temperature often registers away below zero, a guarantee of their hardiness.

**Soil** Ferns succeed best in a rich, light, loose, fibrous soil, with good drainage. If the soil is inclined to be soggy, raise the fern bed two or three inches above the surrounding surface. Before planting make the soil fine, and if possible incorporate some leaf mould from the woods, decayed chip-dirt or soil from around some old building, but never use fresh manure of any kind.

Water the fern bed occasionally with liquid "Watch-em-grow" Plant Food.

**1631 Ostrich Plume Fern** (*Onoclea*). A very graceful as a palm, and one of the most satisfactory to grow. Makes a most effective background for other ferns. The fronds reach a height of two to three feet, with a width of six to eight inches. Sometimes called "The Palm of the North." In the above illustration the tall ferns in the background are of this variety. One of the most satisfactory ferns for the amateur to grow, always giving satisfaction. Grows in beautiful crowns, requiring considerable room. For a background plant two feet apart, or as single specimens, in partial shade. Each 30c, 6 for \$1.25, 12 for \$2.25.



Hayscented  
or  
Gossamer  
Fern

**1632 Evergreen Wood Fern** (*Aspidium Marginale*). A desirable evergreen variety. Its large green fronds have a bluish tinge and are very durable. Cut fronds will keep a long time. It is easily grown and can be adapted to varying conditions. A desirable variety for general use. Each 25c, 6 for \$1.00.



Christmas  
or  
Dagger  
Fern

**1633 Hayscented or Gossamer Fern** (*Dicksonia*). One of the varieties that will grow in either sun or shade. It propagates itself by underground root-stalks, and if planted in rich, porous soil will soon form masses. This is the best variety to plant where a mass of from 15 to 18 inches high is desired. Each 25c, 6 for \$1.00.

**1634 Christmas or Dagger Fern** (*Polystichum*). A widely known evergreen species, the fronds being largely used by florists. One of the easiest to grow and about the best evergreen, hardy fern we know. Fine for forming an undergrowth among shrubbery. A good fern to plant with other varieties. Each 25c, 6 for \$1.00, doz. \$1.75.

**1635 Set of above Four Beautiful Hardy Ferns postpaid for 90 cents**

**1636 Three of each and three extra Ostrich Plume, 15 plants for \$2.75**

**\$5.00 <sup>1637</sup> Special Hardy Fern Collection \$5.00**

As a special inducement to plant these beautiful Hardy Native Ferns in larger quantities, we will send you TEN strong roots of each of the above four beautiful Hardy Ferns, forty in all, each variety carefully labeled, packed to carry safely, and delivered to you, all charges prepaid, for only \$5.00.



# HARDY FLOWERING SHRUBS



Double Althea

Every home should be surrounded by a carefully selected assortment of hardy shrubs. By this means a continual succession of flowers may be had throughout the season. Once established, they require little attention, increasing in size and effectiveness from year to year. The stock we offer is strong, one year, field grown, well rooted, dormant plants, 12 to 18 inches high. The size usually sent by mail, cut back, ready for planting.

**Double Althea** *Rose of Sharon.* Attractive hardy shrubs or small trees, easily grown, and forming symmetrical small trees 6 to 8 feet high; also grown as flowering hedges. Large showy, double flowers. July to October. **1355 Best double white. Each 20c. 1356 Large double red. Ea. 20c, the two for 35c.**

**1360 Japanese Barberry** A very desirable dwarf growing shrub for bordering clumps of large shrubs. Fragrant yellow flowers followed by red berries. For ornamental hedges see opposite page. **Each 15c, 12 for \$1.20.**

**1365 Buddleia Magnifica** *Butterfly Bush or Summer Lilac.* One of the most desirable summer flowering shrubs, beginning to bloom in July, it continues until cut by severe frost. The flowers are of a pleasing shade of violet mauve. Succeeds everywhere and blooms freely the first season. In the North it dies down to the ground in winter forming a new bush each year 5 to 6 feet high. **Each 25c, 3 for 60c.**

**1367 Calycanthus** *Sweet Shrub.* A favorite for a hundred years. The wood is scented, the foliage rich, and flowers of a rare chocolate color, having a peculiar, delightful odor. The old-fashioned shrub

of our grandmother's garden. **Each 20c, 3 for 50c.**

**1370 Deutzia** *Pride of Rochester.* Showy Japanese shrubs of the highest ornamental merit, and adapted to all good soils. Their clean foliage, upright dense growth, free flowering nature, renders them especially valuable. Double bluish white flowers in clusters along the branches in July. **Each 20c, 3 for 50c.**

**1375 Forsythia** *Golden Bells or Golden Chain.* A tall growing shrub with glossy green foliage, and an abundance of golden yellow, drooping bell shaped flowers on long, graceful branches, hence the name. Often in bloom when the snow is flying. **Each 20c, 3 for 50c.**

**1378 Hydrangea** *Paniculata Grandiflora.* Grows three to four feet high and is very bushy and compact. Blooms in July at a time when few other shrubs are in flower, the flowers remain until destroyed by frost. The flowers are pure white, changing to pink, and are borne in immense clusters. **Strong 1 year plants. Each 25c, 3 for 60c, 12 for \$2.25.**

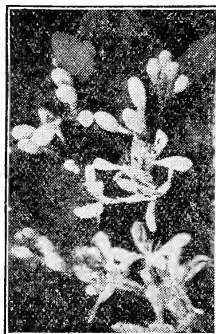
**1379 Hydrangea** *Paniculata Grandiflora.* Extra strong 2 year, 45c, 12 for \$4.50.

**1381 Hills of Snow** *Hydrangea Arborescens.* The foliage is almost hidden by beautiful immense pure snow-white blooms in June and July. One of the few shrubs that succeeds in partial shade. Will stand 20 degrees below zero. **Each 30c, 3 for 75c.**

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## Bush Honeysuckle

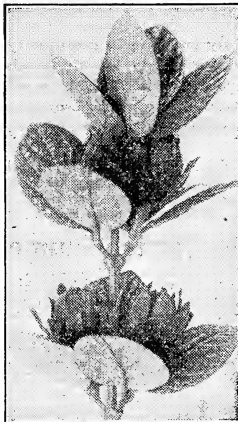
**Lonicera Tartarica.** 4 to 6 feet. Neat habit, glossy green foliage, and pretty little pink flowers in pairs ("Twin Honeysuckle"), followed by red berries. **Each 20c, 3 for 50c.**



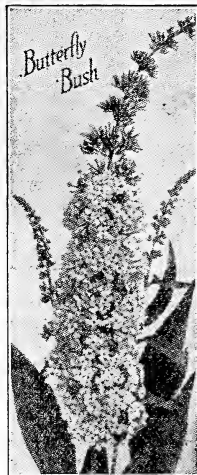
Bush Honeysuckle



Mock Orange



Calycanthus



Buddleia

## 1386 Mock Orange (Philadelphus)

It seldom or never fails to bloom. The fragrant and beautiful waxy white flowers appear in great profusion in June. In shape and fragrance they resemble orange blossoms. Height 6 to 8 feet. **Each 20c, 3 for 50c.**

**1388 Pussy Willow** This is becoming very popular for home decoration during the winter months. Cut the branches at any time in winter. Place them in water in vases, in a warm room, and in a few days the pretty pussy-flowers will develop. Easily grown, succeeding best in moist soil. **Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.60.**

**1390 Sambucus** *Golden Elder.* A strong growing golden leaved ornamental shrub, for growing as single specimens, or grouping with other shrubs. The best golden leaved shrub we know. Height 6 to 8 feet, but can be trimmed into a neat bush. **Each 25c, 3 for 65c.**

**1396 Snowberry** *Symphoricarpos Racemosus.* Neat shrubs of slender, graceful medium growth, having pretty, small, pink flowers in June, followed by large clusters of wax-like snow white berries throughout the summer, autumn and early winter, by many considered one of the most beautiful decorative shrubs. **Each 20c, 3 for 50c.**

**1398 Coral Berry or Indian Currant** Similar to the Snowberry except that its fruits are red, and that the smaller red berries cluster in thick ropes along the weighted-down stems. **Each 20c, 3 for 50c.**

## Syringa, Double French Lilacs

The Double French Lilacs are very beautiful shrubs or small trees. The plant is more compact and attractive than the common Lilac, and does not grow as tall. You certainly will enjoy the panicles of double flowers. The season of bloom is about the same as common lilacs, but the plants begin to bear flowers while much younger and smaller. We have seen plants only 2 ft. high bearing fine big flower panicles. **No. 1401. Double Pure White 75c. 1402. Double Purple 75c.**



## Four of the Best Spireas

**1411 Spirea (Anthony Waterer).** A very desirable dwarf growing, perpetual blooming shrub forming neat, round bushes two feet high, with large, flat sprays of rosy crimson flowers from June to September. Useful for bordering clumps of large shrubs or planting around porches. Remove the flowers as they fade. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.



Weigela, Rosea

**1413 Golden-Leaved Spirea (Opulifolia var. aurea).** Foliage is of a bright golden color and finely shaded. This is one of the finest golden-leaved shrubs for the contrast it offers. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.

**1415 Spirea Thunbergii (Snow Garland).** A Japanese variety of medium size, with narrow, delicate leaves and a profusion of small, white flowers in early summer. Leaves narrow, bright green, turning in autumn to orange and scarlet. Grows 3 to 4 feet high. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.75.



Spirea Van Houttei

**1417 Spirea Van Houttei** One of the most beautiful and graceful ornamental shrubs in the entire collection. Very largely used in all landscape work. Will fit in anywhere where graceful effect is desired. For ornamental hedges, in clumps with other shrubs, for borders in front of porch, or as single specimens it is always satisfactory. Each 20c, 5 for 75c, 12 for \$1.50.

**1420 African Tamarix** Strong slender growing shrubs, height 6 to 8 feet with feathery foliage and sprays of delicate pink flowers in early spring before the leaves appear. Very attractive. Each 20c, 3 for 50c.

**1422 Weigela Rosea** A very desirable strong growing shrub with deep pink flowers in great profusion in June and July, forms neat plants 5 to 6 feet high. Strong plants, 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.75.

**1425 Weigela Nana Variegata** Dwarf habit 3 to 4 feet, leaves broadly margined creamy white. An abundance of pink flowers in June. Each 25c, 3 for 60c.

## Ornamental Hedge Plants

Ornamental hedges are fast replacing the old wood and iron fences for boundary lines. They add much to the appearance of the home, increasing in beauty from year to year. Japanese Barberry and Privet are the most satisfactory varieties for this purpose.

**Japanese Barberry (Berberis Thunbergii).** Hardy, low growing shrub, with spreading thorny branches and small, bright green leaves that turn to brilliant orange and yellow in autumn; the bright red berries remain on the bushes throughout the winter, giving a cheery bit of color to the place.

1360—Extra Strong, 1 year, well branched, \$8.00 per 100  
1361—2 year transplanted, well branched, \$15.00 per 100

**California Privet (Ligustrum).** No plant has come more rapidly and deservedly into public favor. Vigorous growth, glossy dark green foliage until after Christmas. Almost evergreen. Don't plant where the thermometer goes much below zero.

1430 1 year well branched 18-24 in. doz. \$2.00, 100 for \$12.  
1431 2 year extra heavy 2 to 3 ft. doz. \$2.50, 100 for \$15.

**Ibota Privet (Japanese Privet).** Valuable new variety, more branching than California Privet, bright green foliage and small clusters of fragrant white flowers. Its great value is for hedges, being absolutely hardy everywhere, and may be trimmed to any desired form.

1435 1 year well branched 18-24 in. doz. \$2.00, 100 for \$12.  
1436 2 year extra heavy 2 to 2½ ft. doz. \$2.50, 100 for \$15.

**1440 New Ibolium Privet** A variety of recent introduction claimed to have all the desirable qualities of the popular California Privet with the additional value of being absolutely hardy. We have been fortunate in securing a supply of fine plants. Extra Strong, 2 year, well branched, 2½ to 3 ft. doz. \$2.25, 100 for \$18.

## Hardy Climbing Vines

Nothing adds more to the attractiveness of any home than a few well-selected hardy vines. For porches, arbors, etc., and indispensable for hiding outbuildings and unsightly places.

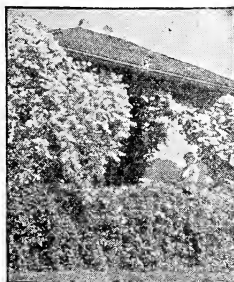
**1451 Ampelopsis Veitchii (Japan or Boston Ivy).** Popular hardy climbing vine that clings to and completely covers any brick or stone wall. Small one year plants only. Each 25c, 3 for 60c.

**1458 Aristolochia (Dutchman's Pipe).** A vigorous, rapid growing vine with large, dense foliage. The flowers, however, are of little value compared with the light green foliage. Strong vines, each 20c, 3 for 50c.

**1461 Bignonia Radicans (Scarlet Trumpet Vine).** A robust hardy vine, having orange scarlet, trumpet-like flowers at tip of branches. 20c, 3 for 50c.

**1465 Chinese Matrimony Vine (Lycium).** Hardy climbing vines, having a profusion of pretty pink flowers from June to September, followed by red berries. Each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.75.

**1468 Clematis (Paniculata or Snowbank).** Sweet-scented Japanese Clematis. Completely covered in September with a mantle of pure snow-white fragrant flowers. Strong 1 year, heavy rooted, each 25c, 3 for 60c, doz. \$1.75.



Clematis Paniculata

**1471 Coral Clematis (Coccinea).** An interesting rapid climbing species, producing very pretty bell-shaped, coral-red flowers from early June until late fall. Strong roots each 35c, 3 for \$1.00, doz. \$3.00.

**1475 Honeysuckle (Hall's Japan).** Very rapid climber. Evergreen foliage, creamy-white, fragrant flowers from June to August. A most satisfactory vine to plant. Strong plants each 20c, 3 for 50c, doz. \$1.50.

**1478 Honeysuckle (Coral or Scarlet Trumpet).** Quite distinct from Hall's Japan. Trumpet-shaped scarlet flowers in clusters. Each 20c, 3 for 50c.

**1477 Japanese Kudzu Vine (Pueraria).** Most remarkable rapid climbing vine will grow 30 to 50 feet in one season. Small purple flowers in September. Each 15c, 4 for 50c.

**Chinese Wistaria** Hardy rapid climbing vines having large clusters of fragrant flowers in June and July. The plants we offer were grafted from selected blooming plants and are sure to bloom.

1482 Purple 40c. 1483 Pure White 40c. 1484 The two varieties for 75c.



Wistaria

# Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses

Large Two-Year, Field Grown Plants

The great value of this class of roses is in their everblooming habit, producing their beautiful fragrant buds and roses continually from June to October. They are not absolutely hardy in the north, but with proper protection will winter over nicely, and will amply repay you for the extra labor required. The best plan in planting Hybrid Tea Roses is in prepared beds, three or four feet wide. Prepare the soil to a depth of two feet, and plant 15 to 18 inches apart. Cultural instructions sent you with each order. We have selected six of the best varieties which we supply in strong 2 year field grown plants, that will bloom freely this year.

**1491 Gruss an Teplitz** As a bedding Rose this is one of the finest. The color is brightest scarlet, shading to deep, rich velvety crimson. It is very fragrant. The freest grower and the most profuse of any ever-bloomer. The mass of color produced is wonderful, and the foliage is extremely beautiful, all the young growth being a bronze-plum color. A queen among scarlet bedders. Will produce more flowers throughout the year than any other rose. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, doz. \$7.00.

**1492 Columbia** This beautiful Rose is one of the most beautiful of its class. It is of strong vigorous habit and an exceptionally free bloomer. The blooms are of large size and perfect form, both in bud and when fully open. The color is a most pleasing shade of rose-pink, and delightfully fragrant. Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00, \$7.00 per doz.

**1493 Madame Caroline Testout**

One of the most popular roses in its class and undoubtedly one of the best for outdoor culture. Should be in every garden. Immense, large, clear pink buds. Very hardy, blooms very freely, almost always in bloom. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, doz. \$7.00.

Gruss an Teplitz Rose

flowers, full and double, beautiful buds. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, doz. \$7.00.

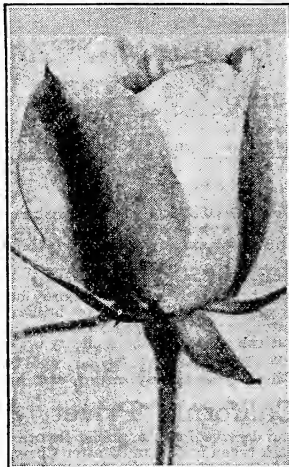
**1494 Madame Butterfly** The countless admirers of Ophelia will appreciate this new variety, its offspring. All the color tones of Ophelia are intensified; making it a symphony of white, bright pink, apricot and gold. Of the two, Madame Butterfly is fuller-petaled, more prolific, and of greater color appeal. Buds rich red, yellow base. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, doz. \$7.00.

**1496 White Ophelia** A new variety that has made a record for itself that qualifies it to class with the very best. In comparison with several of the most popular white varieties it was decidedly the best. The flowers are produced freely on long stiff stems and are perfect in bud and when fully expanded. Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00, doz. \$7.00.

**1497 Mrs. Aaron Ward** Long and shapely buds of most attractive quality, opening into semi-double cup-shaped flowers of deep Indian yellow, agreeably varied and shaded. The plant is a good grower and knows no season, because it blooms early, all the time and late, and is, in fact, one of the most desirable and dependable Roses. 75c each, 3 for \$2.00, doz. \$7.00.

Above All Two-Year, Field Grown Roses

**1500 The Set of 6 Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses for \$4.00.**



Madame Butterfly

## Pot Grown Hybrid Tea Roses

For the accommodation of those who wish to order a smaller, less expensive grade of Hybrid Tea Roses we are prepared to supply the following set in well established 1 year old plants, 6 to 8 inches high from 2 1/4-inch pots. There are millions of these little roses sold annually that give general satisfaction. Instructions for planting and for winter protection will accompany each order. Sold only in complete sets.

**Bessie Brown**—Very large, double flowers, color creamy-white, outer petals edged delicate rose, very fragrant. A magnificent Rose.

**Champion of the World.** Double rich glossy, pink. Blooms continually from June until frost. Quite hardy.

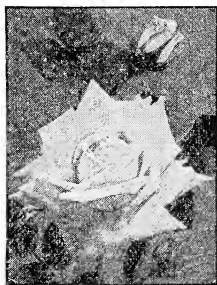
**Eugene Marlitt**—Rich, bright carmine with scarlet shadings. A strong, upright grower, and a constant bloomer. Extra large flowers.

**Kaiserin A. Victoria**—The best white H. Tea rose we know. A continuous bloomer. Beautiful pure white, fragrant buds and flowers.

**Helen Good**—One of the best roses for the garden. Color, delicate yellow suffused with pink, each petal deeper in color at edge.

**Miss Amelia Gude**—A charming yellow rose. Long, pointed buds, outer petals reflexing. Deep yellow center, shading to cream-yellow. Very fragrant.

**Red Letter Day.** An attractive semi-double flower of the most vivid satiny crimson-scarlet, always standing out in any garden. Indispensable both in the garden and when cut. Plant vigorous and free.



Hybrid Tea Rose

**1511 Sold only in Full Sets. The Seven for \$1.00**

## Hybrid Multiflora, Fairy or Baby Rambler Roses

An entirely distinct class of Roses. Neat dwarf, compact habit, in bloom continually from June until frost. Perfectly hardy, retaining their glossy green foliage all summer. Unsurpassed for rose hedges, growing about 18 inches high. The following can be had in their respective colors.

**1514 Erna Teschendorff** Clusters of pretty little double flowers, color brilliant deep crimson. Very attractive either planted singly or in masses. 40c each, 3 for \$1.00.

**1515 Orleans** Flowers are strikingly handsome. Color warm geranium-red, tinted pink, with creamy white center. 40c each, 3 for \$1.00.

**1516 Nova Anglia** A fine new variety, producing its clusters of pure white little double flowers in greatest profusion. 50c each, 3 for \$1.25.

**1517 The Set of 3 Multiflora Roses for \$1.15.**



Baby Rambler

## Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses

These are the beautiful "June Roses" so universally popular. They are the largest and richest in colors of all Roses, and are perfectly hardy everywhere. There are a hundred or more varieties, but in accordance with our established policy we have selected only four of the best varieties. They will be strong 2-year-old field grown plants that should bloom this season. Tops cut back ready to plant.

**1522 Frau Karl Druschki** (Everblooming White American Beauty). This is undoubtedly one of the grandest hardy pure white Roses ever introduced. Makes splendid buds and immense flowers 4 to 5 inches across, perfectly double and delightfully fragrant. Each 60c, 3 for \$1.50, doz. \$5.50.

**1523 George Arends** (Pink Druschki). A magnificent new rose, closely resembling the popular Druschki in character and free blooming habit. Producing an abundance of satiny rose-pink flowers from June to October. This will become one of the most popular roses grown. Each 65c, 3 for \$1.75, doz. \$6.00.

**1524 General Jacqueminot** A rich, velvety crimson, changing to a scarlet crimson. This is the best known of all hybrid perpetuals, and is without rival in fragrance and richness of color. Blooms freely anywhere. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25, doz. \$4.75.

**1525 Paul Neyron** The largest Rose in cultivation, sometimes called the Peony Rose. Color bright, fresh-cense red. Flowers are very double and full, delightfully fragrant. The plant makes a strong, healthy growth and has clear, glossy foliage. Blooms almost continuously June to October. Each 60c, 3 for \$1.50, doz. \$5.50.

**1540 The Four Best Hybrid Perpetual Roses for \$2.00.**

**1521 Rosa Rugosa Rubra** A valuable perfectly hardy rose of vigorous growth, forming near bushes 3 to 4 ft. high. In bloom usually from June to October. Large, rosy-crimson single flowers in clusters, followed by scarlet seed pods. Rich glossy green foliage, not subject to mildew. As single specimen plants or planted with other shrubbery it always gives satisfaction. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00.



Paul Neyron Rose



Climbing American Beauty Roses

## Beautiful Hardy Climbing Roses

Strong Dormant Field Grown Blooming Size Plants

Do you remember the beautiful climbing Roses, that you admired so much when you saw them in bloom last June, and didn't you promise yourself that you would order a set this Spring for your own home?

**1502 Mary Wallace** The latest introduction in hardy climbing Roses. Introduced by the late Dr. Van Fleet, and highly indorsed by The American Rose Society. A strong rapid climber, of the Pillar-rose type, and a wonderfully free bloomer. Beautiful pointed buds, and large semi-double flowers 4 inches across. Color clear, bright rose pink. Sold last year at \$1.50 to \$2.00 each. Our price, strong plants, 85c, 2 for \$1.50.

**1567 Paul's Scarlet** Winner of gold medal at National Rose Society Exhibition. Flowers large, semi-double, intense dazzling scarlet, continues in bloom after many other varieties have disappeared. Each 50c.

**1541 Climbing American Beauty** A novelty of great merit. Color rosy crimson similar to its popular parent, and with same exquisite fragrance, a quality rarely found in climbing roses. Strong growth. Flowers from 3 to 4 inches in diameter, of fine form, and produced in great profusion in May and June. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$4.00.

**1542 American Pillar** A single flowering variety of great beauty. The flowers are of large size, 2½ to 3 inches across, of a lovely shade of pink, with a clear white eye and cluster of yellow stamens. Flowers are borne in immense bunches. The most beautiful rose plant we have ever seen was an American Pillar. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35, doz. \$4.50.

**1543 Doctor Van Fleet** One of the newer type of climbers combining absolute hardiness with flowers as large as the tender sorts of Tea and Noisette class. This variety shows a mass of beautiful clustered buds which open out into large, shapely flowers; delicate flesh white. Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35, doz. \$5.00.



Perkins Rose

**1544 Tausendschon** (Thousand Beauties). A rapid growing climber, showing the blood of Rambler, Polyantha and Tea parentage. Its innumerable flower clusters make a pretty show in June and July; at first, soft pink deepening to a bright carmine rose. Each 40c, 3 for \$1.10, doz. \$4.00.

**1545 The above set of 6 Climbing Roses for \$2.75.**

## Perkins Climbing Roses

These Perkins Roses are popular because they are so easily grown, and so beautiful when in bloom. We have 20,000 strong field grown plants ready to fill your orders.

**1555 Dorothy Perkins** The original "Perkins" Rose, and most popular pink climbing rose to date. A vigorous, rapid climber with glossy green foliage and clusters of clear shell-pink double flowers. Each 30c, 4 for \$1.00, doz. \$2.75.

**1556 Excelsa** (Crimson Perkins). Brilliant crimson-double flowers in immense clusters. Better in every respect than the popular Crimson Rambler. Best red climbing rose. Each 30c, 4 for \$1.00, doz. \$2.75.

**1557 White Dorothy** Like the well-known Dorothy Perkins, except in the color, which is pure white. Each 30c, 4 for \$1.00, doz. \$2.75.

**1556 The Three Perkins Roses for 75c**

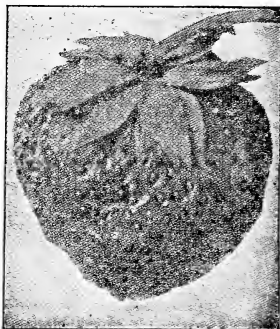
# A PAGE of SELECTED BERRY PLANTS

We want our patrons to grow the very best varieties of Berries. We are not going to confuse you by offering a long list of varieties. We have therefore consulted a number of experienced growers, and as a result have selected the following varieties which we confidently believe to be the best in their respective classes. You can make no mistake by planting these varieties.

## The Two Best June Strawberries

**1575 Kellogg's Premier** This new variety is in a class by itself. It is the largest, earliest, and most productive of all the extra early varieties to date. Fruit uniformly large, brilliant deep red to the core, of the highest quality, and a good shipper. Will give you a big crop of fancy berries to sell before the prices drop. Price, 25 for 60c, 50 for \$1.00, 100 for \$1.75, 1,000 for \$12.00.

**1576 Gibson** Without doubt one of the biggest money-making strawberries grown. In some berry growing sections it is more largely grown than all others combined. Plants vigorous, berries extra large, bright-red, quality the best, ripens medium early. 25 for 50c, 50 for 85c, 100 for \$1.50, 1000 for \$10.00.



Gibson Strawberry

## The Best Red Raspberry

**1580 Early King** This is an extra early red Raspberry. It is a week or ten days earlier than the old "Standby" Cuthbert. The berries are very large, bright-red, firm and easily picked. The canes are strong and perfectly hardy. One grower says Early King is the earliest and most beautiful red Raspberry he has ever grown. As a market variety it is a money-maker as you get the early market ahead of the big shipment of other varieties. Price, 6 for 45c, 12 for 85c, 50 for \$2.75, 100 for \$5.00.



Early King Raspberry

## The Best Black Cap Raspberry

**1585 Cumberland** The "BUSINESS BLACK CAP." Biggest black Raspberry grown. This is offered with the assurance that it is the most profitable and desirable variety for home or market. Cumberland is very hardy everywhere. Extra productive, being the heaviest bearing variety in cultivation. Fruit is extra large, jet black, and of superior quality. Ripens medium early. This is the Standard Black Cap Raspberry, being more extensively grown than any other variety. Price, 6 for 45c, 12 for 85c, 50 for \$2.75, 100 for \$5.00.



Cumberland Raspberry

## The Best Blackberry

**1588 Eldorado** This popular hardy Blackberry is known everywhere and more largely grown than any other because of its extreme hardness and dependability. Where other varieties often fail by winter killing, Eldorado can always be depended on for an abundant crop. It is the Blackberry for every fruit grower. It is enormously productive, large, sweet and free from core. Price, 6 for 50c, 12 for 90c, 50 for \$3.50, 100 for \$6.00.



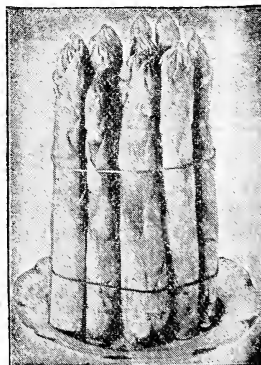
Eldorado Blackberry

## The Best Dewberry

**1590 Lucretia** The most largely grown of all the Dewberries for home or market. It is a trailing species of Blackberry. It is earlier than the earliest Blackberry and larger than the largest of them. The trailing canes are hardy everywhere and free from disease. The fruit is superb, large and handsome. Jet black, sweet and melting. Price, 6 for 50c, 12 for 90c, 50 for \$2.75, 100 for \$5.00.

## New Pedigree Asparagus

**1595 Mary Washington** Recommended by the U. S. Government at Washington. This strain was obtained by continual selection of the best plants of the variety Martha Washington, and produces large, straight, tender shoots of excellent quality. It is nearer being rust-proof than any other variety. We are fortunate in having 100,000 roots of this fine new variety which we can offer at the following reasonable prices. Price of Asparagus, strong roots, doz. 50c, 50 for \$1.50, 100 for \$2.25, 1,000 for \$13.00.



Asparagus

## Rhubarb Roots

**1597 Early Victoria** A few clumps of Rhubarb in a corner of the garden will furnish a continual supply of material for pies and sauces during the early summer months. Strong one-year roots, 3 for 25c, 12 for 75c.

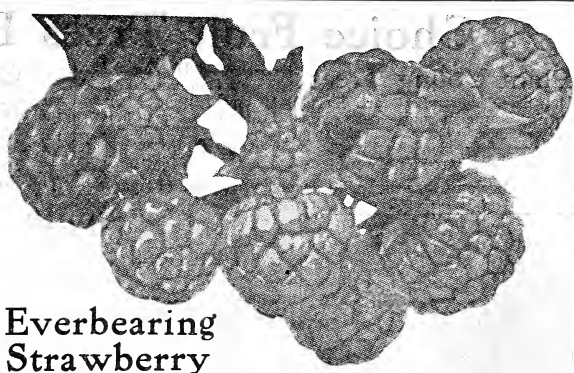
## Horse Radish Roots

**1600 Maliner Kren** This new variety from Bohemia is by far the best. It is larger, earlier and whiter than the common kind. We offer the sets which are short lengths of roots. Plant with the small end down and the upper portion 2 inches below the surface. Rows 2-3 feet apart, sets 12 inches apart in rows. Price, doz. 30c, 50 for \$1.00, 100 for \$1.75.

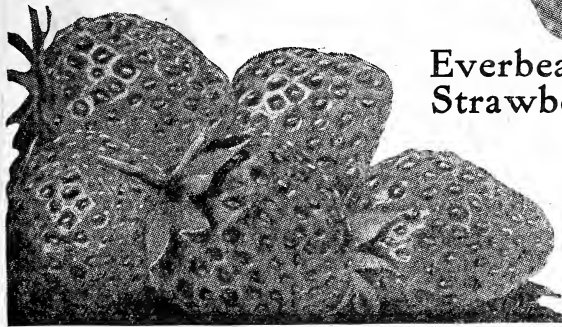


## New Everbearing Raspberry

**1581 St. Regis** A splendid new early red Raspberry that is well worthy a place in every garden. A genuine practical, profitable, productive, perpetual bearing variety. It produces an abundant main crop like the common varieties. Remove old canes 1st of August to make room for young canes, which are already ripening fruit, continuing until October. Berries large, bright red and of excellent quality. **Strong well-rooted plants.** Price 3 for 25c, 12 for 75c, 100 for \$6.00.



## Everbearing Strawberry



The Luscious Berries of Progressive

**1577 Progressive** Wouldn't it be nice to be able to pick Strawberries during the late summer and fall after the common June varieties have stopped bearing? That is just what you can do if you plant this new Everbearing Progressive. They are easy to grow, the best practice being to keep the plants from bearing early by keeping the blossoms picked until August. Then the strength goes into making strong plants and you will get a big crop in late summer and fall of the first year. The berries are of good size and delicious quality. **Price 6 for 30c, 12 for 50c, 50 for \$1.50, 100 for \$2.50, 1000 for \$15.00.**

## Wholesale Prices on Shrubs and Plants

We have thousands of inquiries each season from those who wish to purchase plants in large quantities. We can supply by the hundred and thousand in most varieties and list here the more popular kinds. Many of you have large plantings to make for new homes or for public buildings and parks. You can save money if you can use the quantities quoted.

### Flowering Shrubs

- 1355 ALTHEA, Double White.** 1 yr. 2 to 3 branches, well rooted. Doz. \$1.75, 25 to 40 at 12c each, 50 to 100 at 10c each.  
**1356 ALTHEA, Double Red.** Same as white.  
**1378 HYDRANGEA, Paniculata Grandiflora.** 1 yr. size. 25 to 40 at 16c each, 50 to 100 at 14c each.  
**1379 HYDRANGEA, Paniculata Grandiflora.** 2 yr. extra heavy. 25 to 40 at 32c each, 50 to 100 at 30c each.  
**1396 SNOWBERRY.** 1 yr. size. Doz. \$1.75, 25 to 40 at 12c each, 50 to 100 at 10c each.  
**1417 SPIREA, Van Houtte.** 1 yr. size. 25 to 50 at 10c each, 50 to 100 at 8c each.  
**1418 SPIREA, Van Houtte.** 2 yr. heavy. Doz. \$4.00, 25 to 50 at 28c each, 50 to 100 at 25c each.

### Popular Hedge Plants

- 1360 JAPANESE BARBERRY.** 1 yr. size. 25 to 40 at 9c each, 100 for \$8.00, 1000 for \$65.00.  
**1361 JAPANESE BARBERRY.** 2 yr. size extra heavy. Doz. \$2.25, 25 to 40 at 17c each, 100 for \$15.00, 1000 for \$120.00.  
**1430 CALIFORNIA PRIVET.** 2 yr. well branched. 18 to 24 inch. 25 to 40 at 14c each, 100 for \$12.00, 1000 for \$90.00.  
**1431 CALIFORNIA PRIVET.** 2 yr. heavy. 2 to 3 ft. 25 to 40 at 17c each, 100 for \$15.00, 1000 for \$120.00.  
**1440 New Ibolium Privet.** Ex. strong 2 yr. well branched. 2 to 3 ft. 25 to 40 at 19c each, 100 for \$18.00, 1000 for \$150.00.  
**1435 Ibota Privet.** 2 yr. 18 to 24 inch. 25 to 40 at 15c each, 100 for \$12.00, 1000 for \$100.00.  
**1436 Ibota Privet.** 2 yr. extra heavy 2 to 2½ ft. 25 to 40 at 18c each, 100 for \$15.00, 1000 for \$120.00.  
 In buying hedge plants figure at least on one hundred plants to every 100 ft. row to cover. Better yet, set the plants 8 inches apart making 150 plants to every hundred feet.

### Gladioli for Cut Flowers

On colors that are always in demand we quote special prices as follows: Per 1000 Per 1000  
**1023 Albion** \$18.00 **1037 Schwaben** \$30.00  
**1026 America** 18.00 **1007 Willbrink** 20.00  
**1032 Panama** 20.00 **1034 Primulinus Hybrids** 15.00  
**1029 Halley** 20.00 **1045 Superfine Mixed, large size** 22.50  
 You may order 500 at the 1000 rate.

**Order Your Plants Early** Do not wait until the last minute to place your order, whether it be for one plant or one thousand. It is impossible to gauge exactly what the demand will be for each variety and it is sometimes necessary to reply "sold out" before the season is over. We make no bargain offers late in the season—our first price is always our lowest—and it is sometimes necessary to raise prices later on large quantities. So save money, be sure of your stock, save chances of delay, by ordering early. Shipment will be made when weather permits.

### Small Fruits

An excellent chance to start a large planting at low cost.

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| <b>1580 RED RASPBERRY, Early King</b>            | Per 1000 |
| <b>1581 RED RASPBERRY, Everbearing St. Regis</b> | \$35.00  |
| <b>1585 BLACK RASPBERRY, Cumberland</b>          | 35.00    |
| <b>1588 BLACK RASPBERRY, Eldorado</b>            | 50.00    |
| <b>1590 DEWBERRY, Lucretia</b>                   | 40.00    |
| <b>1617 GRAPE, Concord</b>                       | 40.00    |
| <b>1618 GRAPE, Niagara</b>                       | 50.00    |
| <b>1616 GRAPE, Agawam</b>                        | 50.00    |
| <b>1619 GRAPE, Worden</b>                        | 50.00    |
- Up to 400, at the 100 rate. 500 or more at the 1000 rate.

### Vegetable Roots

- 1595 ASPARAGUS.** Washington Pedigree, extra strong one year roots, really better than 2 yr. size. 1000 for \$13.00 delivered, 5000 at \$10.00 per 1000 (transportation at customer's expense).  
**1597 RHUBARB.** Victoria, strong one year roots, 25 to 40 at 5c each, 50 to 100 at 4c each. Per 1000 \$30.00.  
**1600 HORSE RADISH.** Maliner Kren. 100 for \$1.75, 1000 for \$15.00.

### Cannas for Bedding

- 1151 THE PRESIDENT.** 25 to 40 at 14c each, \$12.00 per 100.  
**1152 CITY OF PORTLAND.** 25 to 40 at 13c each, \$10.00 per 100.  
**1153 KING HUMBERT.** 25 to 40 at 10c each, \$8.00 per 100.  
**1154 QUEEN HELEN.** 25 to 40 at 10c each, \$8.00 per 100.  
**ALL OTHER VARIETIES.** Nos. 1160 to 1165, inclusive. 25 to 40 at 8c each, \$6.00 per 100.

### Fairy or Baby Rambler Roses

- These little Roses make beautiful hedges and garden borders. For best effect set them about 18 inches apart. Buy them in quantity.  
**1514 ERNA TESCHENDORFF, Crimson.** Doz. \$3.25, 25 to 40 at 25c each, 50 to 100 at 22c each.  
**1515 ORLEANS, Ceranium Pink.** Doz. \$3.25, 25 to 40 at 25c each, 50 to 100 at 22c each.  
**1516 NOVA ANGLIA, Pure White.** Doz. \$3.50, 25 to 40 at 28c each, 50 to 100 at 25c each.



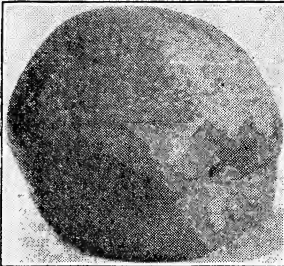
# Choice Fruit Trees By Parcel Post

**Plant Young Trees** Experienced Horticulturists and Commercial Orchardists, everywhere are learning from experience that thrifty young trees give better general satisfaction than older larger trees. They withstand shipping and transplanting better, and are more certain to grow, because the roots, have not been mutilated and bruised in digging.

Varieties are arranged according to time of ripening. The earliest first

## Careful Selection of Varieties

In selecting the following list we have been very careful to include only the most desirable, well known varieties, that are in greatest demand, and grown in the largest quantities by nurserymen throughout the U. S. You cannot make a mistake by planting any of the following varieties.



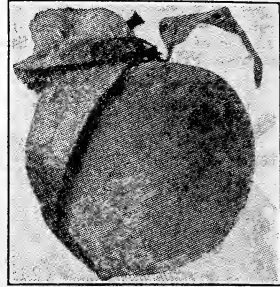
Delicious

**1901 Duchess** Large size and fine appearance. Yellow striped red. Flesh white, tender, juicy. Excellent cooker. Hardy and productive. Sept.-Oct.

**1902 McIntosh Red** A very desirable variety from Canada. Fruit large, bright red, excellent quality. Brings top price in eastern markets. Oct.-Dec.

**1903 Grimes' Golden** Fruit good size. Golden Yellow. Flesh yellow, crisp, best quality, a universal favorite. Nov.-Mar.

**1904 Baldwin** One of the best apples grown. Tree vigorous and regular bearer. Fruit large, bright red. Good keeper. Dec.-Mar.



J. H. Hale

**1905 Delicious** Rapidly growing in popularity, both for home and market. Fruit large, brilliant red, of very highest quality. Dec.-Apr. See illustration above.

**1906 Staymen's Winesap** Much larger and better than wine sap. One of the finest grown for appearance, flavor and juiciness. Dec.-May.

Price above each 30c, 10 for \$2.50. 1907 Set of 6 above varieties for \$1.50

## Peach

**1921 Early Mayflower** The earliest Peach to ripen. Medium size, brilliant red all over and of fine quality. July.

**1922 New Rochester** The earliest large yellow Peach. Fruit large, yellow, very sweet. Sure to become popular. Early August.

**1923 J. H. Hale** A valuable new large yellow Peach. Earlier and larger than the Elberta. Golden yellow with carmine blush. Aug.

**1924 Elberta** Large yellow, excellent quality. More Elbertas are grown than any other variety. Early and regular bearer. Last of Aug.

Ea. 30c, 10 for \$2.50. 1925 Above 4 \$1.00

## Cherry

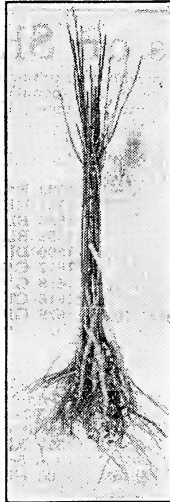
**1941 Black Tartarian** This old-fashioned variety is perhaps the most popular sweet cherry. Fruit large maroon-black. June.

**1942 Napoleon** A prince among sweet cherries. Tree vigorous, upright. Fruit large, yellow with red cheek. Last of June.

**1943 Early Richmond** Medium large, dark red. Juicy, acid flavor. Best known popular Cherry for cooking and canning. Late June.

**1944 Large Montmorency** Large, red. Flesh tender, mildly acid. Later than E. Richmond. Fine for canning. July.

Ea. 45c, 10 for \$4.00. 1945 Set of 4 for \$1.70



## Pear

**1961 Bartlett** The most popular Pear grown. Fruit large, beautiful yellow, and has no equal in quality. Aug.-Sept.

**1962 Clapp's Favorite** Large size, yellow with red cheek. Flesh fine grained, juicy and sweet. Tree vigorous and productive. Aug.-Sept.

**1963 Seckel (Sugar Pear)** Small yellow with red cheek. Very hardy, bears young. The sweetest pear grown. Sept.-Oct.

**1964 Keiffer** Very vigorous, regular heavy bearer. Blight-proof. Large yellow, red cheek, best quality for canning. Keeps well. Oct.-Dec.

Each 50c, 10 for \$4. 1965 Above 4 \$1.75

## Plum

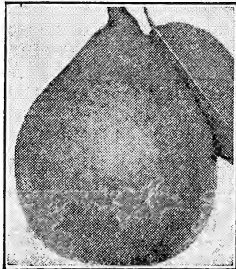
**1981 Lombard** Medium size, roundish-oval violet red, of excellent quality. Tree wonderfully productive. Excellent for market. August.

**1982 Green Gage** Medium size; round; skin yellowish-green; rich and sweet. An old favorite variety. August.

**1983 German Prune** Medium large. Purple-blue, rich juicy, fine quality. Tree vigorous and productive. Popular canner. September.

**1984 Shropshire Damson** Medium, dark purple. Very productive. One of the most popular for canning and preserving. Oct.

Ea. 45c, 10 for \$4.00. 1985 Set of 4 for \$1.70



Seckel Pear

**Size of Trees** Trees will average about three feet, many will be single whips, while others will be more or less branched. All will be heavily rooted and will be pruned ready to plant before shipping.

**A Suggestion** If you do not have the ground prepared for planting, plant the trees a foot apart in a row in the garden. They will double in size and value by November, when they can be planted permanently where they are to bear.

**Prepaid by Parcel Post** All prices include careful packing and free delivery to destination by Parcel Post, or prepaid express, and guaranteed to reach you in good condition.

**Value of Growing Fruit Trees** Every farmer should plant a few selected fruit trees from time to time, to keep up with the latest introductions, and every suburban home can find room for a few trees that will soon supply an abundance of choice fresh fruit.

Have you a vacant lot to sell or on which you will build a home? A selection of fruit trees planted and growing thereon will increase the value of the lot, fifty times the cost of the trees.

**Size of Orders** Because of the extra expense of packing fruit trees for shipment, we cannot accept orders from this page for a less amount than \$2.00. Roses, shrubs, vines, etc., can be packed and forwarded with the trees, if desired, but the order for fruit trees must be for \$2.00 or more.

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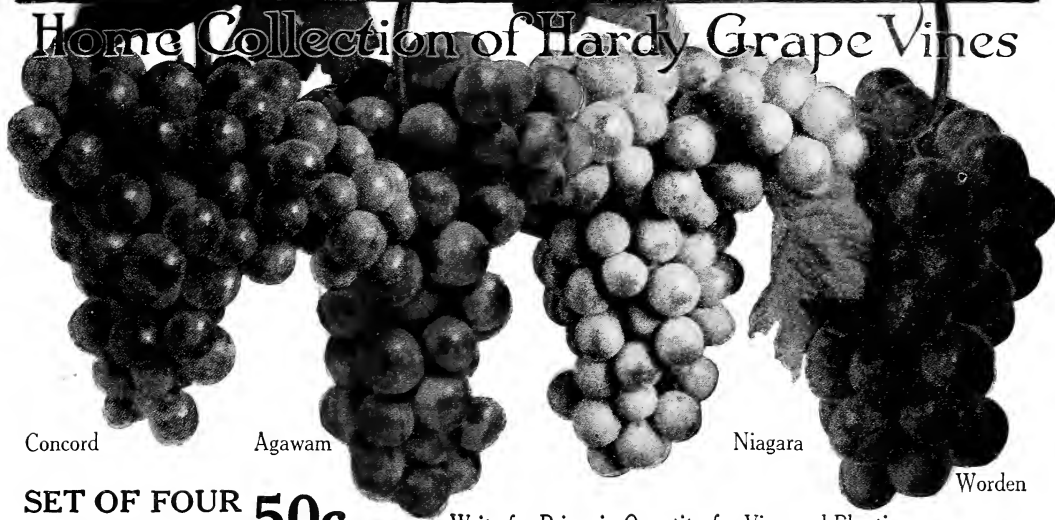
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### Three Classes of Goods

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**1619 WORDEN** Large black berries, medium large bunch. Hardy Extra quality Always dependable. Each 20c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$10.00.

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## New Giant Pedigreed Asparagus

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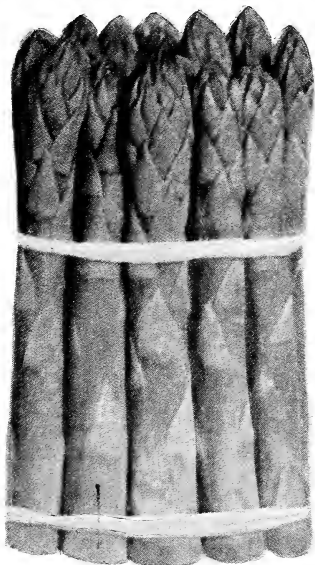
The result of careful breeding by the U. S. Government at their Arlington Experimental Farms. Mary Washington is an improvement over the old Washington, producing large, straight shoots, dark green in color, with heavy overtone. You will like Mary

Washington better than the lighter colored varieties. It is a very strong, vigorous grower and is nearer rust-proof than any other variety. The large, luscious, tender stalks put it in a class by itself. If you are a Market Gardener, you will make more profit from Mary Washington than from any other. If you grow it for your own use only, you will thank us for introducing it to you.

We are fortunate in having more than 100,000 strong roots, which we offer at the following very reasonable

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